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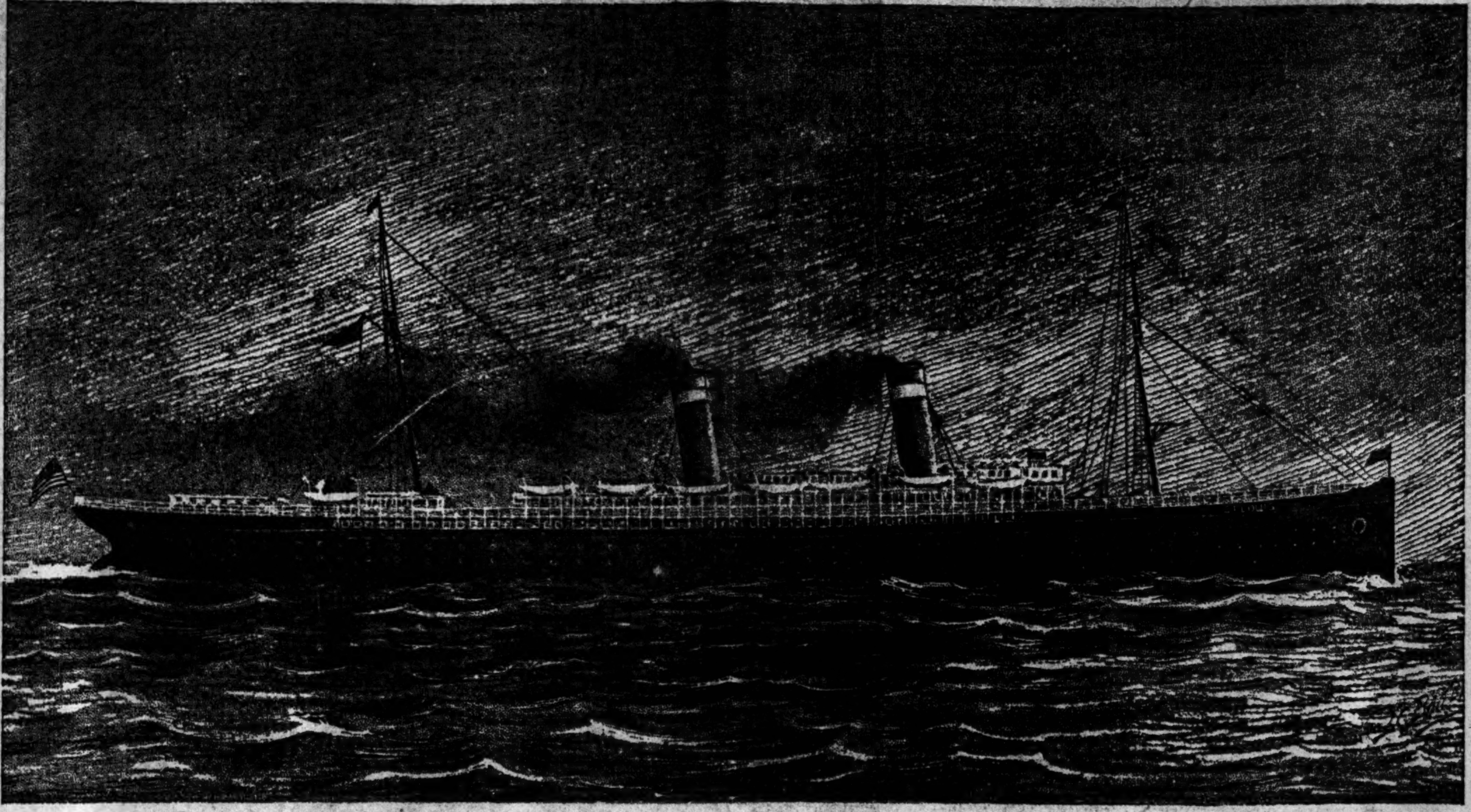
THE FIRST OF THE NEW ALL-AMERICAN PASSENGER STEAMSHIPS.



The ST. LOUIS, Which Will Carry Eight Big Guns and Belong to the United States Auxiliary Navy.

NOT ONE SAVED OF 420 SEAMEN.

The Missing Reina Regente at the Bottom of the Sea.

HER MAST TIPS ABOVE WATER

She Went Down With All on Board Near the Straits of Gibraltar.

CADIZ, March 19.—The Spanish cruiser Alfonso XII. has returned here after a search for the missing cruiser Reina Regente, and reports having found the latter vessel sunk near Bajo Aceitanos, not far from the Straits of Gibraltar. Only twenty inches of the Reina Regente's masts were above water.

The Alfonso XII. has returned to the scene of the wreck with a number of divers and diving apparatus in order to recover the bodies of the crew of the sunken warship.

The Reina Regente was reported missing on March 13. She had just conveyed from Cadiz to Tangier the returning Moorish Mission to Spain. The cruiser left Tangier on March 10 for Cadiz, and her whereabouts have not been definitely ascertained until to-day. Pieces of one of her boats and semaphore flags were picked up along the shore near Ceuta and Tariffa. She carried a crew of 420 officers and men, and all hands are believed to have perished.

So far as known not a single person of the ship's people was saved, and the world will probably never know how the officers and crew battled to save the ship and their own lives in the raging tempest. The supposition is that none of the crew took to the boats. Had they done this some of them might have been saved. The theory is that the ship filled suddenly and went down like a log, carrying all on board with her to the bottom.

So soon as the reports of the disaster became current, a number of Spanish and British warships put to sea in search of her. A French steamship on March 14 arrived at Gibraltar and reported having seen a big vessel, supposed to have been the Reina Regente, ashore in Aceitanos (probably Bajo Aceitanos.) The commander of the French craft added that he was unable to assist the warship on account of heavy weather.

On March 15 the steamer Mayfair arrived at Barcelona and reported sighting a vessel believed to be the Spanish cruiser Reina Regente on the morning of March 10 between Tarifa and Cape Espartel. The warship had lost her funnels and bridge and was laboring heavily in the high seas and fierce gale which prevailed. Although she was apparently unmanageable, the cruiser did not ask for assistance, and therefore the Mayfair did not offer her any. But the Captain of the Mayfair was of the opinion that she could not long have survived the storm in the condition in which she appeared to be at the time he saw her.

Later the Spanish cruisers Isla de Luson and Alfonso XII. returned to Cadiz, after having searched the Spanish and African coasts and the straits without any news of the missing warship.

Deputy Diaz Moreau, who was formerly an officer in the Spanish navy, in the Chamber of Deputies, during the evening of March 14, read the statement of a former commander of the Reina Regente, in which the writer described the cruiser as a vessel unable to weather a heavy storm, owing to the increased weight of her armament.

In the Senate Admiral Beranger, formerly Minister of Marine, said that the Reina Regente was one of the best ships in her class. She was well appointed in every way, he added, and if she was lost he believed she must have collided with another vessel or have gone ashore.

Subsequently in an interview in regard to the statement made by Deputy Diaz Moreau, in which a former commander of the Reina Regente alleged that she was topheavy, Admiral Beranger said that the overweight of the cruiser's deck gun was rectified two years ago by his orders, when he was Minister of Marine.

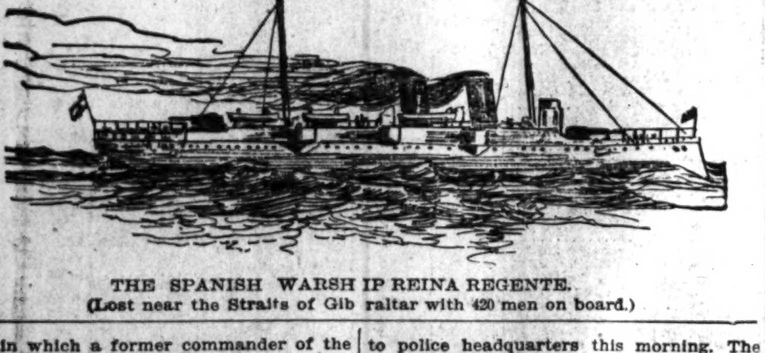
The uncertainty as to the fate of the Reina Regente caused great public excitement in Madrid and the Government was accused of keeping back news of the ship and of having ordered the detention by the censors of all telegrams giving information about her.

But when a number of flags, a compass-box and other wreckage known to have belonged to the Reina Regente was washed ashore at Tariffa, she was given up for lost. In Cadiz and Cartagena, where most of the 420 officers and men of the lost cruiser belonged, there has been great anxiety and excitement from the moment she was reported missing.

The Reina Regente about two years ago came to New York as one of the Spanish squadron which escorted across the Atlantic the Columbus Caravels. The Infanta Isabelle, now reported to have sunk an American schooner off the coast of Cuba, and the Nueva Espana were the other ships of the Spanish squadron. The latter arrived at Fortress Monroe on April 21, 1893, the Reina Regente having the Caravel Santa Maria in tow; the Pinta was in tow of the Infanta Isabel and the Nina was towed by the Nueva Espana. All three of these Spanish warships took a conspicuous part in the great Columbian naval parade in New York Harbor on April 27 of the same year.

The Reina Regente was launched in 1887 and was one of the three second-class deck protected cruisers of the same build, her sister ships being the Alfonso XII. and Lepanto, all of 4,800 tons 12,00-horse-power and expected to steam 20 knots. The wrecked cruiser was 320 feet long, had 50 feet 6 inches beam and a draught of 20 feet 4 inches. She was propelled by twin screws. Her protected deck was 4¾ inches thick on the slopes, her conning tower had 5 inches of armor and her gun shields were 3 inches thick.

The armament of the Reina Regente consisted of four 9½-inch Hontoria guns, one on each side forward of the central superstructure, one on each side aft; six 4¾ Hontoria guns in broadside, the forward and after pair in sponsons, middle pair in recessed ports and fifteen rapid-fire and machine guns. She was also fitted with five torpedo tubes.



THE SPANISH WARSHIP REINA REGENTE.
(Lost near the Straits of Gibraltar with 420 men on board.)

GOTHAM'S POLICE UNDER ARREST.

List of Those Indicted by the Grand-Jury.

INSPECTOR AND CAPTAINS.

Conducted to the District Attorney's Office in Charge of Williams and McAvoy.

NEW YORK, March 19.—All the police of this city against whom indictments were found by the extraordinary Grand-jury were placed under arrest when they went to police headquarters this morning. The indicted men are:

Inspector William McLaughlin, Capt. Jacob Seibert, Union Market Station; Capt. J. J. Donohue, West Twentieth Street Station; Capt. M. J. Murphy, West One Hundredth Street Station; Capt. James K. Price, MacDougall Street Station; Capt. John T. Stevenson; former Police Captain William S. Devery, Wardman Edward Glennon (dismissed), Wardman Edward S. Hill (formerly under Capt. Price), Wardman Burns (jumped his bail).

The order which came to the superintendent from the District Attorney's office was to have the men there at 11 o'clock this morning. Shortly before 10:30 the indicted men gathered at police headquarters. After being placed under arrest they were conducted to the District Attorney's office by Inspectors Williams and McAvoy. The former had in his care Inspector McLaughlin and Capts. Seibert, Donohue, Price and Devery. The others walked by the side of Inspector McAvoy.

Supt. Byrnes said that the indictments which had been handed to him were all that had been found.

THE WEATHER.

Light Rain This Evening, Followed By Warmer Temperature To-Morrow.

The weather forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Light rain Tuesday afternoon or evening. Fair and slightly warmer Wednesday.

For Illinois: Light local rains and warmer to-night and Wednesday.

For Missouri: Light rains and slightly warmer to-night. Wednesday local rains.

The slight disturbance noted Monday morning in Kansas still remains in that vicinity. It has developed somewhat and exhibits a tendency to move to the southeastward. It has caused local rains in the States surrounding, and also as far east as Central Tennessee.

The weather elsewhere has been mostly fair.

The temperatures have continued to rise except from the Lake Region and Upper Mississippi Valley.

PICKIN CASE DISMISSED.

Would Not Prosecute on the Theory of Hypnotism.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., March 19.—The case of the State against George W. Pickin and his son, Asigal Pickin, charged with criminally assaulting Mabel Briggs, was nolle prosequied by the District Attorney as to Dr. Pickin and was continued as to his son. District Attorney Farr had made up his mind not to go into court with a line of evidence which would have to be sustained by a theory of hypnotism and was notified that he could not convict the doctor. Asigal is still in jail.

THREATS OF LYNCHING.

A Young St. Louisan Kills a Man at Elmo.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 19.—Edward Patton, keeper of a lunch counter at Elmo, quarreled with Godfrey Peterson over the settlement of a bill, when Peterson struck Patton and was shot fatally through the chest. Patton gave himself up. Peterson's friends threaten to lynch the murderer, who is in jail, under a hgeavy guard.

Patton is a St. Louis boy, about 25 years old, a barber by trade, who came here about a year ago from St. Louis. He has always borne a good reputation. His mother, Mrs. McCool, resides at St. Louis He has relatives among the best people at this place. He was recently editor of the Elmo Register.

Peterson was a section foreman on the Wabash. The inquest is being held to-day.

BY MEANS OF HOSE.

Thieves Stole 10,000 Gallons of Whisky From a Warehouse.

COLUMBIA, S. C., March 19.—Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue Vandervord has unearthed one of the most novel cases of robbery in the annals of Federal courts in this State. The story, as obtained from the confession of some of those implicated in the conspiracy, is as follows:

In 1892 Mr. Bieman of Walhalla, S. C., made over the Government distillery No. 437, located four miles from that town, to W. C. Tatum. In the warehouse connected with the distillery were between 8,000 and 10,000 gallons of whisky and the warehouse was closed under seal of the revenue officers, Tatum intending holding the whisky for the period of three years allowed by law before stamping. He closed the distillery when he made the purchase. A little later the stealing began. The warehouse was built on the slope of a hill. The robbers drew the staple of the door, inserted one end of a hose into a whisky barrel, passed the hose through a crack in the wall and siphoned the whisky into an empty barrel at the foot of the hill several rods away, whence they could haul it away without serious risk of detection.

This process they repeated nightly until every gill of whisky had been safely removed. Then the band assembled one night and after filling the barrels in the warehouse with water, carefully replaced the staple and seal.

As the end of three years approached, Collector Townes wrote to Tatum repeatedly, urging him to prepare to take the liquor from bond, and it was while this correspondence was in progress, on the night of Sept. 5, 1894, the warehouse, with its contents, was burned. Meanwhile the suspicion of the revenue department had been excited and Deputy Collector Vandervord began investigation. The facts above related were discovered and the arrests of John Farmer, Asbury Hyde, Wm. Whitman, A. Watkins and John Rowland followed. They have been given hearings before United States Commissioner Hawthorne at Greenville, and were held for trial. Some of them have made full confessions.

THE HOUK BROTHERS TESTIFY.

Session of the Tennessee Penitentiary Investigating Committee.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 19.—Ex-Congressman John T. Houk and Elma Houk, his brother, appeared to-day as witnesses before the legislative committee investigating the alleged scandal in connection with the new penitentiary contract. The Investigating Committee holds its sessions in secret and what the Houks testified to has not yet been divulged.

LI HUNG CHANG REACHES JAPAN.

Vested With Power to Negotiate a Treaty of Peace.

LANDED AT SHIMONOSEKI.

The Viceroy Met by Mr. Foster and the Japanese Peace Commissioners.

SHIMONOSEKI, Japan, March 19.—Li Hung Chang and his suite arrived here this morning in order to negotiate for peace between China and Japan. The envoy from the Japanese Foreign Office immediately visited the steamer conveying the Chinese Viceroy, and, later, Li Hung Chang, accompanied by Mr. John W. Foster, the American adviser of China, visited the Japanese Minister of Foreign Affairs.

Prince Li has been vested by the highest authority in China with full powers to conclude a treaty of peace with Japan. China has pledged herself, through the United States Ministers, to abide by whatever conditions he may accept in her behalf.

Gen. John W. Foster, American ex-Secretary of State, was engaged by China to act as counsel of the peace commission which went to Japan with worthless credentials. He has been retained as adviser of Li Hung Chang.

Japan's peace ambassadors are Count Ito, her Prime Minister, and Viscount Mutsu, her Minister of Foreign Affairs. They also have authority to bind Japan to whatever conditions they agree to impose upon China. Shimonoseki is on the southwestern extremity of Nipon, the largest island of the Japanese Empire, on which also are Tokio, Yokohama and most of the chief cities. It is just at the entrance to the Inland Sea. It is an out-of-the-way place, and was chosen for that reason, as it was feared that should Li Hung Chang arrive at an important city on his warship the authorities might not be able to prevent an outbreak of the populace.

Admiral Ting Alive.

SHANGHAI, March 19.—Chinese papers here say that Admiral Ting, who was reported to have committed suicide at Wei-Hai-Wei, is alive. It is said that three coffins taken on warship to Chee-Foo contained the bodies of Liu, the Captain of the Ting Yuen; Chang, who was in command of the garrison at Liu Kung Tao, and Tai, commander of the land forts at Wei-Hai-Wei, but Admiral Ting, it is asserted, was smuggled away.

EDWIN GOULD WINS.

Supreme Court Decision in the Rich Hill Coal Case.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 19.—The Supreme Court has decided the case of Jas. A. and William S. Neill vs. Edwin Gould et al. in favor of the defendants, who represent the majority of stockholders of the Rich Hill Coal Mining Co. About $250,000 was involved. The plaintiffs sought the removal of Edwin Gould and other officers, alleging mismanagement, and also asked for the appointment of a receiver. The decision affirms that of Judge Field of the Lafayette Circuit Court, where it was tried when it was transferred on change of venue.

FOUGHT WITH SWORD-CANES.

Scene in Front of the Morton House New York.

NEW YORK, March 19.—There was a duel with sword canes in front of the Morton House late last night. A tall young man had been waiting without for some time, when a cab rolled up and a young man assisted a young lady to alight.

The man on the corner approached the woman, called her by name, and said he wished to speak with her. The girl's companion struck the accoster, and the next moment the latter drew the steel blade of his sword cane and made a lunge at his assailant. The latter grasped the blade, broke it in two and used the half in his hand as a weapon. For a few minutes the two men fought wildly, when the cry of police caused them to separate, and the young man who had attempted to speak with the girl made his escape. He was seen subsequently and said the girl was his sister and the man in the cab was a Chicago gambler.

OUT 107 DAYS.

Fears That the Bark Colussa Has Been Lost.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 18.—The bark Colussa is now out 107 days from Tacoma, bound for Shanghai, and still no tidings have been received from her. The underwriters express the greatest fears for her safety, and while her owners still cling to the hope that she will turn up all right, sea-faring men [illegible] generally do not incline to this belief.

The Colussa [illegible] ard a cargo of lumber, and ca[illegible] nd vessel are insured for $20,00[illegible] er cent was offered yesterday [illegible] nce on the bark, and there w[illegible] cers. The Colussa is owned by [illegible] mith & Co. of this city. She is o[illegible] years old, having been built in [illegible] by Wm. Rodgers. She has bee[illegible] coast for many years.

THROWS 325 MEN OUT OF WORK.

Disastrous Fire Among Lumber Mills at Burlington, Vt.

ONE MAN BURNED TO DEATH.

Closes All the Mills in the District Which Escaped Last December's Conflagration.

BURLINGTON, Vt., March 19.—A disastrous fire broke out to-day in the woodworking shops of J. R. Booth. The pioneer lumber mills were destroyed and the flames spread to the large store-house and works of the Baldwin refrigerator and to the shops of the Vermont Roller Shade Co., and practically wiped out those buildings, containing a large amount of stock and much valuable machinery.

During the fire W. L. Millington, aged 65 years, a watchman in the employ of the mill, fell through the roof of a building into the flames and was burned to death. The total loss is estimated at $300,000. This fire closes all the mills in the northern section of the lumber district that escaped the conflagration of last December and means a great loss to Burlington. About 325 men are thrown out of employment. It is stated the mills will not be rebuilt at present.

The Steamer Spokane Burned.

SPOKANE, Wash., March 19.—As the steamer Spokane, plying on Kootenai Lake was crossing the lake for Kaslo, B. C., a fire broke out in the hold and soon spread to the upper decks. There was a panic among the passengers as the flames began to envelop the steamer and it required the efforts of the captain and crew to prevent them from jumping overboard. Fortunately the steamer Ainsworth was in the vicinity and reached the burning boat in time to rescue the passengers and crew. The boat and cargo, valued at $40,000, is a total loss.

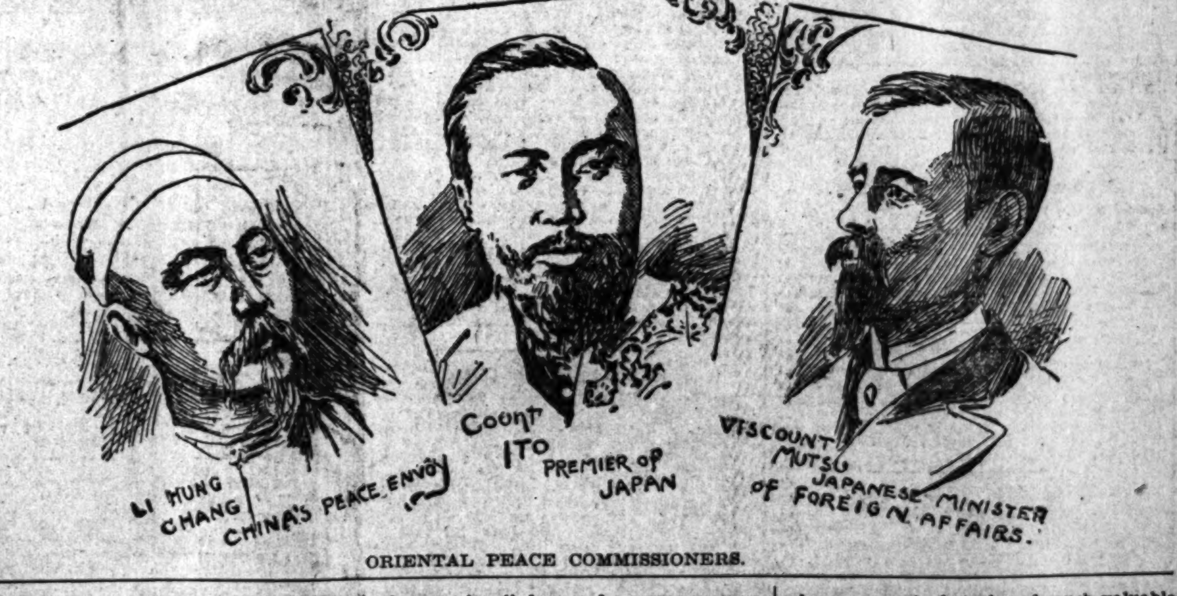
Fire at Iuka.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

IUKA, Ill., March 19.—Huddle & Davis' blacksmith and wagon shop, and J. W. Fykes' undertaking shop were burned last night. The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin. Loss $1,000; no insurance.

Grandma Herrin, Aged Over 100.

JONESBORO, Ark., March 19.—Grandma Herrin, aged over 100 years, the oldest woman in this section of the State, died here last night.



ORIENTAL PEACE COMMISSIONERS.

WILL CLOSE UP THE TOWN.

State Sunday Law to Be Enforced to the Limit.

EVERYTHING TO BE SHUT UP.

Carl Ungar Declares That He Will Close the Theaters and Stop the Street Cars From Running.

The Sunday law is to be enforced to the very letter. Every clause in section 3,852 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Missouri is to be applied, warrants issued and prosecutions made.

This step is taken not by the Sabbatarians, but by those who oppose the enforcement of the law. The position of the people who are behind this movement is that to show how bad the present law is and to effectually break it down it is only necessary to enforce it in the strictest possible manner This is what has already begun to be done and from now on the Prosecuting Attorney's office will have plenty to do.

Attorney Carl Unger started the ball rolling Tuesday morning by calling on Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Richard Johnson at the latter's office in the Four Courts. The two men were closeted for some time and when Unger emerged from the city official's inner sanctum he had in his possession a number of warrants for persons engaged in various businesses which have popularly been supposed to be necessarily carried on Sundays.

Who these persons are upon whom the vengeance of the anti-Sabbatarians has first fallen Unger refuses to state. He wishes to have the warrants served before disclosing the names. At least one of the parties will be arrested this afternoon, and the other warrants will be served as soon as it is deemed feasible.

When Unger was seen and asked about the nature of his errand to the Four Courts he admitted that he had gone there for the purpose above mentioned, and he drew from his pocket triumphantly a bundle of warrants, the names on which he kept carefully concealed.

"It would not be advisable," he said, to state who the parties are for whom I have these warrants, but they will all be served and more obtained. I expect to get out probably 100 all told."

"What is the nature of the businesses you are proceeding against?"

"Well, street railroads, for instance. They are not absolutely necessary, and section 3,852 of the Revised Statutes declares that no work not absolutely necessary shall be done on the Sabbath. Then, there are the theaters. Why should the Standard Theater or any of the other places of amusement be allowed to remain open, and Tony Faust's be forced to close up? That is not right. If the people of the town want a Sabbath let them enforce the law strictly and not discriminate.

"I could proceed against the newspapers and arrest the editors for getting out the Sunday and Monday editions, and I may yet do so.

"This step is taken simply to show how utterly absurd the law is. We believe with Gen. Grant that to show how bad a law is it has only to be enforced. If it is a good law it will stand the test; if not, it will fail. I have paid a great deal of attention to this subject and I know whereof I speak."

"Whom do you represent in this matter?"

"You may as well say that I represent Carl Unger. Any citizen can secure a warrant, as I have done. The law is on the books. Mr. Johnson has no alternative but to issue it. But there are really others behind me. There is no need of telling who they are, but they are solid business men of repute.

"This is not a bluff or a pretense in any way. We openly state the object we have in making the move and we propose carrying it out until an end is attained."

Sabbath-Breaking Warrant Refused.

Palmer Clarkson, attorney for the Sabbath Association, was refused a warrant for Dinks L. Parrish for keeping his furnishing goods store open on Sunday, because the information as drawn up was defective.

NOT WICKED AT ALL.

New York's Living Statues Are Only Classical.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 19.—The Casino was jammed full last night. The crowd had gone to see something naughty, but the bronze statues were only classical and monotonous; not wicked at all. The female model wore tights, which wrinkled and gave the thing away. Otherwise, the illusion of nudity might have been complete. The male models wore only breech-clouts and coats of bronze paint. This is the novelty which is expected to succeed the living pictures.

GEORGE PAID THE FEE.

Archbishop Corrigan Got $3,000 for Marrying the Count.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 19.—It is learned by the Post-Dispatch from an ecclesiastical authority very near to Archbishop Corrigan that the latter received $3,000 as his fee for performing the Gould-Castellane wedding ceremony. The Archbishop received the money in the shape of a check, signed by George Gould and handed by him to Fr. Connelly, the Archbishop's secretary. There was an understanding that $2,000 of this sum was to go to the Catholic Orphans' Asylum on Fifty-second street and Fifth avenue.

COLLEGE POLITICS.

Annual Meeting of the League of Republican Clubs.

MADISON, Wis., March 19.—The annual meeting of the League of College Republican Clubs this year, will be held at Grand Rapids, Mich., the first week in April. Thus far but three candidates have been mentioned—W. D. McWilliams of Kalamazoo College, L. B. Vaughn of the University of Chicago and E. J. Henning of the University of Wisconsin for president.

PETER DUMP OF DUMPVILLE.

His Wife Brings Suit for Divorce on Serious Charges.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

SEDALIA, Mo., March 19.—Peter Dump, one of the wealthiest and most prominent citizens of Pettis County and for whom Dumpville, Mo., is named has been made defendant in divorce proceedings instituted by his wife. She alleges cruelty and drunkenness. Both are twice married.

THEY ARE COMING TO ST. LOUIS.

Interstate Commerce Commissioners Will Meet Here.

COMPLAINTS TO BE HEARD.

Cotton Rates From the Southwest and Eureka Springs' Fares Will Be Investigated.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 19.—The Interstate Commerce Commission is preparing for an extensive tour of the West in order to hear cases that have arisen in that section which demand adjudication. Chairman Morrison says that about a month from now the commission will leave here for St. Louis, where it will hear the complaint charging that the M., K. & T. demands excessive rates on cotton shipped from the Indian Territory and Oklahoma. There will also be heard at St. Louis the case against the Eureka Springs Railroad, on complaint of the Missouri State Board of Railway Commissioners, in regard to passenger rates.

From St. Louis the commission will go to Pueblo and Denver, Colo., Kearney and Omaha, Neb., and probably to St. Joe and Kansas City, Mo., and then to Chicago. The rates from Pueblo and Denver to California are to be inquired into. The Colorado people claim that they cannot manufacture and ship rails, machinery and other articles successfully while Chicago, St. Louis and other places on the Missouri River can ship the same articles to California at very much lower rates.

The people of Kearney, Neb., claim the rates are too high in all directions. It is said that Missouri River rates were made higher last summer than they have been at any time in the last five years, and these charges are to be inquired into by the commission. The Omaha Commercial Club, representing the Omaha merchants and shippers, has complained to the commission that Council Bluffs business men can ship across the river, and to points west of Omaha, at Omaha rates, while Omaha merchants and shippers cannot ship across the river through Council Bluffs and into Iowa at Council Bluffs rates. This is a matter which has been agitated by Omaha people for some time, and while the commission is West this controversy will be taken up. The terminals of the roads interested in these various controversies are at Chicago, and the final hearing in some and perhaps all of them may be transferred to that city after the commission has afforded everybody in the several localities convenient opportunity for putting in testimony and presenting their sides of the cases.

Chairman Morrisson expects that a large portion of the time of the commission during the spring will be occupied hearing the evidence in all these cases.

A GORGEOUS DISPLAY.

Famous' Spring Opening Draws an Unprecedented Crowd.

Whenever Famous announces an "opening" of any kind, it is an accepted fact that whatever this popular house "opens" will be worth seeing, and there will the crowd be gathered together. To-day has been no exception, and from the early morning hours their immense establishment was thronged with patrons attracted by the formal "opening" of the cape and suit and millinery departments, announced for Tuesday and Wednesday. It was a thoroughly representative gathering of ladies, all eager to inspect the magnificent stock of spring novelties, none of which had been exposed until last night. While every lady slept, the Geni of the Magic Ring took possession of the whole house, and before morning it had been transformed into a bower of beauty, redolent with the odors of fresh cut flowers, while the exquisite coloring of the artificial blossoms so closely revealing nature was accentuated by dark leaved palms, placed singly or in groups, to the best advantage.

In the grotto, the camp fire burned brightly, and by its side is an unique apartment, most cleverly contrived to imitate the interior of an old log cabin of the pioneer days. In one corner is the rough hewn stone fire-place, and chained to it a coon. On the walls are tacked the skins of various animals, and from the rafters are hung ducks, and prairie chickens, which presumably have fallen victims to the unerring aim of the hunter. In this apartment will be found the modern appliances of art, in the shape of mirrors and here in perfect seclusion one may sit and be suited to a hat or bonnet, of any style, either from the work shops of Paris or London, at good round prices, or the production of the deft milliners employed by this establishment to fashion, from the rich and varied materials at their hand, confections suited to the individual tastes of their patrons, and to their purses, whether they be long or short.

The management of this establishment never fails to carry out its promises, and to-day they certainly surpassed all former efforts in the magnificence, elegance, and variety of the beautiful goods, freely shown by the obliging salesladies. The millinery department is replete with novelties, prominent among them, at least a dozen Leghorn hats, turned up and crinkled in the most artistic shapes, and trimmed with natural fresh cut flowers exhaling the perfumed breath of spring. One is trimmed with roses and smilax, another with ferns and hyacinths, a third with pink carnations and maiden hair ferns, a fourth with buttercups and mignonette and so on through the list of spring flowers. In the cases which line the interior of the log cabin may be found the triumphs of the milliner's art from foreign lands and from their own work rooms.

One case is devoted to "Trilby," and Mme. Charlotte Rebaux is represented in a whole set. An exquisite white hat of Trilby silk, and gold braid trimmed with violets, a cape of Trilby silk, flounced with white chiffon and looped on the shoulders with violets and a parasol of Trilby silk, white with bands sprayed with violets, a knot of violet ribbons at the top tied up with violets, and a Dresden handle. In another case is a Virot set of black velvet and chiffon, the collar formed of plaited velvet ribbons, with a broad velvet stole, held by cut steel buckles at the throat, the cape of black chiffon, with cream pleated front. It has cuffs to match. The hat is of the new rough Trilby braid, the broad brim of black lace, turned up at the side with a pompon of Prince of Wales tips and black violets with steel buckle. The bandeau is of cut steel, in Grecian pattern. A lovely little Virot hat is of the Napoleon shape with gold embroidered crown turned up at the three corners with purple violets.

A charming little Dutch bonnet is of gold lace turned back from the front, with jetted wings, and at the back wings of pleated chiffon caught with jet corboshons. These little Dutch bonnets, and the Napoleon hats, are to be worn very far back on the head.

Lynn Faulkner is represented by a butter colored straw, the broad effect in black velvet, with rosette of jet, holding a stiff aigrette in front.

One of the most stylish effects is in a large bell crowned hat in straw and lace, with bandeau of cut steel, and a bunch of yellow chrysanthemums at the back, and a tuft of Prince of Wales plumes at the side.

A little Dutch bonnet is of cut steel and black to fit close on the head, the broad effect obtained with pink roses and black lace. With all of these charming hats, come parasols to match.

An important adjunct to the millinery is the cape, and silk department, for nothing sets off the hat like the dressy little capes of velvet or silk or lace, all sparkling with jet or frilled with ribbons. Of these little trifles Famous displays an endless variety. Then there are the nobby short spring jackets in covert cloths, and above all, there is a magnificent display of independent skirts, in serge or brocaded silk and satins or in crepons of every degree of fineness. The lined serges may be had in the newest effects, as low as $4.00, while the crepons and fine materials run from $5.50 to $15 or $30, and to go with these skirts are waists of silk and chiffon of the newest colorings and designs and at most moderate prices.

ASSAULTED A CRIPPLED NEGRO.

Three Morgan Street Chocolates Get Into the Police Court Thereby.

Joseph Taylor, a crippled negro who peddles meat and cabbage, was assaulted Monday by Mary Jones, alias Kansas City Mary, and John Dickson, both colored, at 817 Morgan street. Some one called the police, and when Officers Reagan and Hennelly responded a general melee followed.

Kansas City Mary is a "scrapper" and, urged by her example, Dickson bit Officer Reagan and tried to throw him over a stair railing. Dickson's wife, Sophia, also took a hand and threw a brick at the officers.

All three offenders were before Judge Paxson Tuesday morning. Officer Reagan appeared with his hand in a sling, the result of a sprain received through Dickson's aid.

Sophia took the stand and said: "De idea o' my husband resistin' dat big Barney; why he's big nuff ter take tree men like him. How do I know his hand sprained? I reckon that's jest a bluff ter make er case. Dey do dem sort er tings, Jedge."

Kansas City Mary declared the old vegetable man, because she wouldn't buy, "swiped 15 cents on the table." She was determined to get that 15 cents at all hazard, and grappled with him. All were fined and went below.

METHODIST MINISTERS NOT CHANGED

Two Appointments Made, to Fill Vacancies Caused By Death.

The Methodist Conference at West Plains, Mo., made no changes in the St. Louis ministers on Monday. All of them were reappointed, and pastors from elsewhere were named to fill vacancies caused by death. These new appointees are Rev. William Wirt King, pastor of Lindell Avenue Church, successor of the late Robert I. Fleming, and Rev. H. A. Jones, pastor of Goode Avenue Church, successor of the late Rev. Mr. Poole. Mr. King was the leading Methodist minister of Lafayette, Ind., and his charge is one of the wealthiest in St. Louis. Mr. Jones is a stranger to St. Louis, and is not known to any of the leading Methodists.

BETROTHED TO AOSTA.

Princess Helene of Orleans to Wed King Humbert's Nephew.

CHANTILLY, France, March 19.—It is reported that the Princess Helene of Orleans is betrothed to the Duke Aosta, nephew of King Humbert of Italy.

The Duke of Aosta is 26 years of age. He is the eldest son of the late Prince Amadeo, Duke of Aosta and ex-King of Spain, by his first wife, Princess Maria dal Pozzo della Cisterna. His stepmother is the youthful and beautiful Princess Letitia, whose gay pranks recently drew upon her King Humbert's displeasure. She is at the same time niece and sister-in-law of the King, and a special dispensation from the Pope was, of course, obtained when she married her uncle, the late Duke. Her stepson, the present Duke, is a handsome young man and holds a commission in the Italian army as Colonel of the Fifth regiment of artillery. He paid a visit incognito to England some time ago. He was visited both by the Prince of Wales and by the Duke of York, and at that time it was rumored that he was looking for an English Princess to be his bride.

Princess Helene of Orleans is the second daughter of the late Comte de Paris, who died at Stowe House last September, and is in her 24th year. She is golden haired, blue eyed, tall and very lovely. She is a magnificent equestrienne, and in her father's lifetime was a familiar figure on many an English hunting field with her favorite horse Chocolat. She swims like a fish, shoots with unerring aim and is most skillful with the sculls and foils—and all this without sacrificing any of her dainty femininity or Parisian elegance. Chateau Chantilly, where the ceremony of betrothal is to take place, is the seat of the Duc de Chartress, Princess Helene's uncle.

IVORY IN PLENTY.

There Is No Reason to Fear Exhaustion of the Supply.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—According to a report submitted to the State Department by United States Consul Morris at Ghent, the sale of ivory at Antwerp, the principal market of the trade, during seven years amounted to 1,755,972 pounds, valued at $3,524,000. The last year was 583,117 pounds, as against 493,830 in 1893. The report says there is no reason to fear the exhaustion of the ivory supply, the ivory crop of centuries being still in the hands of natives, who have hoarded it by hiding the tusks in river beds and under the soil. There are besides estimated to be about 80,000 elephants living.

CRIME NOTES.

FORT SMITH, Ark., March 19.—Nat Reed and a man known as Millard, supposed members of the Blackstone train robbing gang, are in custody here.

NEW YORK, March 19.—Sutton and Johnson, the alleged bank burglars, are still in custody. The latter, whose correct name is Louis O'Brien, was trailed here from Eureka, Kan., on clews obtained through his devotion to the woman calling herself his wife.

JOPLIN, Mo., March 19.—Lum Wilhite was fatally shot by John Shea, a tramp, because he turned a hose on Shea and two other tramp station-house lodgers. Wilhite is serving a sentence.

GALLATIN, Tenn., March 19.—Will Horn Skaggs of Warren County, Ky., was arrested for the murder of Dick Gray, a Michigan lumber dealer.

WEST PLAINS, Mo., March 19.—Wm. Chandler was tracked here from Arkansas and shot by William Allen, who claimed Chandler had despoiled his home. Chandler lived twelve hours.

A Teamster Fatally Assaulted.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, Mo., March 19.—B. H. Morton, a teamster, was attacked by two men and his skull broken in. Joe Switzer and his son Emmett, with whom he had trouble, have been arrested, but assert their innocence. Morton cannot live.

Poisoned at a Wedding.

PLAQUEMINE, Io., March 19.—Last night Jennie Harris and Victoria McKee were poisoned by Tempo Martin, it is claimed, at the wedding of Martin's sister. It is charged Tempo put arsenic in their wine. The cause was jealousy. It is believed the two women will die. All are colored.

Wants $25,000 Damages.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

SOUTH M'ALESTER, I. T., March 19.—Florence Conners brings suit against the Osage Coal and Mining Co. of Krebs, I. T., for $25,000 damages, alleging that defendant's servants negligently permitted gas and inflammable coal dust to accumulate in defendant's mine and that the gas and coal dust exploded, killing plaintiff's husband instantly and damaging her in the above mentioned sum.

Mrs. Johnson and Daughter Burned.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 19.—Mrs. Kate Johnson of No. 164 West Twenty-first street used kerosene to light her kitchen fire. The can exploded, throwing burning oil over her clothing. Her children, a boy and a girl, were standing by and their clothing took fire. A neighbor heard the screams, rushed in and smothered the flames. Mrs. Johnson and her 4-year-old daughter were so badly burned it is thought they cannot survive. The boy will recover.

Building Permits.

James Garrigan, Twelfth, between Morgan and Franklin, stores and flats, $200; John McMahon, contractor.

A. A. Jansky, southeast corner Thirteenth and Soulard, flats, $4,200; William Vocepce, contractor.

Imperial Investment Company, Morgan, between Taylor and Newstead, three brick dwellings, $12,000; J. H. Flower, contractor.

Charles Krachaner, Vincent, between Campton and Louisiana, dwelling, $3,000; T. Roberts, contractor.

Charles Bensel, Carroll, between Grattan and Dollman, flats, $4,500; Meier & Menz, contractors.

Theresa Lauer, Caroline, bet. Carr Lane and Theresa, dwelling, $1,600; F. Herrman, contractor.

Mary I. Lockwood, Cates, between Hamilton and Delmar, dwelling, $3,600; S. H. Frame, contractor.

Henry Feiter, Newstead, near Natural Bridge road, green house, $1,500.

GOOD-CITIZENSHIP RALLY.

Will Be Held In Seventy-six Churches Before the Election.

The largest mass-meeting of the spring campaign will be held on Sunday, March 31, two days before the election. It will be too largely attended to find standing room under any ten or twenty roofs in St. Louis.

It is not announced as a political mass-meeting, but is termed a "good citizenship rally" of the Christian Endeavor Societies. Yet its influence is intended for the spring election, and it may be productive of much scratching.

At the same hour, the seventy-six Endeavor societies will meet in their respective churches, and the ranking layman of the congregation will speak on "good citizenship." He will urge the men to vote, and the ladies to see that they vote. He will extoll the purity of the ballot box, the sanctity of the laws, and he will urge the free use of the scratching pencil.

It is not intended that any of the speakers will tell their hearers for whom to vote, but it will be impossible to avoid many pointed allusions to the merits of the candidates for the City Council and the House of Delegates.

To boom the good-citizenship movement, Rev. J. A. Roundthaler of Indianapolis, Ind., who is called "the Cyclone," and is as aggressive as Dr. Parkhurst or Rev. Frank Tyrrell, will speak here on Sunday, March 31, and on Monday, April 1. His second address will be at the First Congregational Church, Delmar avenue, near Grand avenue. Mayor Walbridge will preside, and Rev. M. Rhodes will offer prayer. Mr. Roundthaler is expected to strike from the shoulder.

The "good citizenship" activity of the Endeavor societies last fall provoked the St. Louis Presbytery to condemn politics in the pulpit, and created some ill feeling.

EMULATED HUCKLEBERRY FINN.

Tour of a 15-Year-Old After Leaving His St. Joseph Home.

Paul Floyd, a diminutive boy of 15 was found at 3 o'clock Tuesday morning in the yard of 1244 Carr street. He said he ran away March 7 from his home in St. Joseph, Mo., where his father is a feed merchant, residing at 1202 North Thirteenth street. The boy was locked up pending further investigation.

The youngster had been reading the adventures of Huckelberry Finn and concluding that a good home did not possess half the attractions of a wandering life, with the sum of $3.15 started to see the world. He went first to Kansas City, thence to Carrollton, Mo., and then to Keokuk, Io., whence he came to St. Louis last Sunday. He beat his way, begging his food quite successfully, and still has a dime left.

At his home he says he has three brothers and two sisters, all younger than himself, but when asked if he thought his father would send for him he seemed dubious. His father has been advised.

LITTLE MABEL MAUS.

The Habeas Corpus Proceedings Brought to a Successful End.

The controversy over the possession of little Mabel Maus ended yesterday by Judge Dillon's consigning the little one to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Will, who have adopted her, the grandmother, who brought the habeas corpus proceedings, having assented thereto. For several days the little girl has been in the custody of the Children's Home Society, and the ladies of this association have found, they think, a good home for the little waif.

Unsprinkled Streets.

Speculation runs high among the real estate agents as to what resident and property owners will have to say who live on certain streets upon which there will be only partial sprinkling this summer. This action is in sympathy with bicycle riders, and is a "success" due the Missouri Division, League of American Wheelmen. Despite the fact that taxes have been paid for sprinkling on the streets mentioned below, an order signed by Mayor Walbridge, Street Commissioner Murphy and Superintendent of Sprinkling M. D. Strait, limiting the hours for sprinkling, has been issued.

A petition signed by certain young ladies, who advocate the wearing of bloomers, touched the city officials, and a circular headed "Dry Streets for 1895" was issued. The streets to remain unsprinkled are St. Charles street, from Third to Fourteenth streets; Locust street, from Fourteenth to Thirty-fifth streets; Chestnut street, from Fourth to Twelfth streets; Pine street, from Twelfth to Grand avenue; Olive street, from Grand to Taylor avenue; Delmar avenue, from Taylor to Union avenues; Ninth street, from Washington to Bremen avenues; North Broadway, from Bremen to Morrin avenues; Garrison avenue, from Pine street to Easton avenue; Jefferson avenue, from Washington avenue south to Keokuk street; South Broadway, from Keokuk street to Osceola street; Osceola street, from Broadway to Virginia avenue; Virginia avenue, from Osceola to Dover streets; Michigan avenue, from Dover to Davis streets; Lafayette avenue, from Mississippi to Grand avenues; Arsenal street, from Ninth street to Jefferson avenue; Grand avenue, from Easton avenue to Tower Grove Park.

Just where the tax-payers will stand in this matter is a question unanswerable at present. Several property owners say the city officials have no right to continue such laws, and bicyclists say they cannot enjoy riding on muddy streets, and there the matter stands at present in the latters' favor. A notice has been issued to contractors warning them about spilling water on the streets mentioned. The wheelmen have been notified that infraction of the above rules will receive attention if reported to J. R. Bettis, 212 South Third street; M. G. Simmons, 9 South Third street, and John G. Anderson, Main and Park avenue.

In speaking of the above, one property owner on Lucas avenue said:

"It is a little too early in the season to predict what steps will be taken. My experience teaches me that Lucas avenue is a very dusty thoroughfare during the summer months. The slightest breeze stirs the dust around on the asphalt street, making sprinkling a necessity. I don't see how the absurd order could have been issued. What damage does a little water on an asphalt street do to bicycle riding?"

Lange Insurance Case.

The case of Mrs. Mathilde Lange vs. the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Co. was continued until March 25. This is a suit on a policy for $31,000 on the life of the late W. B. Lange. A jury was impanneled on Monday, when the proceedings were interrupted by the announcement that a telegram from New York indicated a settlement. It is given out that the company offered $30,000, and Mrs. Lange's attorneys advised her to accept it rather than subject herself to the delay that would be involved in the inevitable appeal to the Supreme Court. As about $3,000 is already due on interest, the proposition is in the nature of a 10 per cent shave.

Three New Dwellings.

Three modern dwellings will be erected in the near future on the north side of Morgan street, between Taylor and Newstead avenues, by the Imperial Investment Company, Naughton & Bergfeld, agents. The houses will be of the latest pattern, each constructed on a lot 26x43 feet and will be three stories in heighth. They will cost $12,000.

The Bogers Investment Company sold to H. Fichtenmeyer 50 feet on Euclid avenue, city block 3785, for $10,500. Mr. Fichtenmeyer will improve the property and use it as his residence.

Board of Equalization.

The members of the Board of Equalization continued in session Tuesday with City Assessor Frederick in the chair. A stack of complaints were gone over to-day. Mr. Frederick said that the complaints from citizens about property being incorrectly assessed were not nearly so numerous as they were last year.

J. H. McNamara was selected to act as architect and builder for the board. His duties will be to examine buildings said to be over-assessed.

Real [illegible] Exchange.

The mem[illegible] Real Estate Exchange met in [illegible]thly session Monday evening. [illegible] amount of routine business was tra[illegible] agents generally reported [illegible] favorable during the month w[illegible] prospects. The session was strictly [illegible]

MISSIONARIES ON THE KAW

Members of the T. P. A. Visit Their Brethren of Kansas City.

Most of the members of the Travelers' Protective Association who went to Kansas City Friday night returned Tuesday morning. The party included among others Jacob Furth, President of the St. Louis Associated Wholesale Grocers; John A. Lee, National President of the T. P. A., and W. A. Kirchhoff, President, and Burt W. Lyon, Secretary, of Missouri Division, T. P. A.

The visitors attended the banquet of Post D of Kansas City Saturday night and were invited to address the Commercial Club Saturday afternoon. So enthusiastic was President Fuller of the latter club that he asked them to remain until Tuesday night for a full meeting when, he promised, the entire membership would join the T. P. A. Messrs. Lee and Lyon accepted the invitation and also that of the Vehicle and Implement Owners' Association for Monday night.

At the banquet of Post D Saturday night Mayor Webster Davis presided.

A large number of new members were secured for the post, and a promise exacted from President Fuller of the Commercial Club that, on the annual junketing trip of Kansas City merchants this fall, they would visit St. Louis.

JUROR HOLMAN.

Judge Flitcraft Lets Him Off With a Small Fine.

Those who expected a scene in Judge Flitcraft's division this morning over Mr. H. C. Holman, an alleged recalcitrant juror, were disappointed, as the Judge considerately had the gentleman brought to the bench, where he privately catechised him regarding the transaction. Mr. Holman is President of the H. C. Holman Commission Co., and Sheriff Becker reported that when he undertook to summon him as a juror last week he (Holman) tore up the writ, and made remarks concerning the court that were more forceful than respectful. He explained the matter to Judge Flitcraft, but it was not satisfactory and he was fined $5.

Judge Flitcraft is fully determined that the process of law regarding jurymen shall be fully respected. On the call of a special jury this morning several persons who had been duly served did not answer, and he directed the Sheriff to issue attachments for all such forthwith, and to get them on the road to service as quickly as possible.

Court Notes.

John B. Haggerty, who lately assigned, claims his $300 exemptions, and his assignee was authorized to pay him the same.

Judge Flitcraft granted a new trial in the case of James Barker vs. N. D. Allen for the reason, as he frankly admits, that "proper and competent evidence was by the court excluded."

Judge Flitcraft has given lawyers to understand that no motions will be entertained in cases where motions for security for costs are pending.

NOTES ABOUT TOWN.

WOMAN STABBED.—Lizzie Priester was stabbed in the back at 1308 South Second street by an unknown Monday.

STABLES BURNED.—Frame stables in the rear of 5747-53 Easton avenue were burned Monday night; loss $1,000.

SHOOTER ARRESTED.—Georgia Gibson has been arrested for shooting Sarah Clay at 1301 Washington avenue on March 13.

STOLE A WATCH.—Frank McGary has been arrested for robbing Henry Berninger of 2628 North Nineteenth street of a watch.

CITY MISSIONS.—Palmer Hurbert of Chicago addressed the Congregational Club at the Southern Monday night on "City Missions."

HARNESSMAKERS.—The Retail Harnessmakers' Protective Association is arranging for a banquet at Druids' Hall April 1.

ASSIGNMENT.—The St. Louis Sash-Weight Co. assigned Monday to Herman Hess as trustee for creditors; liabilities, $11,211.58.

M'KERNAN ARRESTED.—John McKernan was arrested Monday for driving off the horse and wagon of Adam Wagner of 725 Rutger street.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—The Teachers Committee has granted a ten-day leave of absence to Miss Hannah J. Skilman of the new Madison School.

O'CONNOR BANQUETED.—Hon. P. J. O'Connor of Atlanta, Ga., National President of the A. O. H., was banqueted by the State officers at the Planters' Monday night.

DOCTORS' BANQUET.—The Missouri Medical College Alumni banqueted at the Polyclinic, Jefferson and Lucas avenues, Monday night. Speeches were made by Drs. Simon, Tuholske, Robinson, Hardaway and Steele.

WATCHMAN IN TROUBLE.—Thomas Darnell, arrested for the suspected theft of some black goods, was night watchman for the St. Louis Coffin Co. and Manager Gardner identified the cloth. Darnell was fined $25 for selling without a license.

SCHOOL VENTILATION.—A sub-committee of the School Board Building Committee examined the ventilation of the Chouteau, Madison and Franklin Schools Monday. The condition of the Franklin was such that a remodeling of the building was deemed the only remedy.

Newton Crane Honored.

Newton Crane, formerly of the law firm of Pattison & Crane of this city, and now a London barrister, has been appointed by the Lord Chancellor of England a member of the Executive Committee of the Council of the Society of Comparative Legislation. The object of the organization is to collate the legislative enactments of the English-speaking people of the world.

Clay Sexton's Farm.

Judge Hirzel refused Monday to set aside his decree in the case of the heirs of the late H. Clay Sexton against Thomas and Joseph Maxwell and others. The suit involves the title to Clay Sexton's farm in St. Louis County, which is vested in the plaintiffs after the satisfaction of certain credits to the defendants. The farm contains 101 acres and is worth $40,000.

Southern Wholesale Grocers.

A large delegation of St. Louis wholesale grocers will attend the annual meeting of the Southern Wholesale Grocers' Association, with which the St. Louisans are allied, at Atlanta, Ga., May 22.

Marriage Licenses.

John H. Tennent, Jr.	4140 Washington
Mary Scott	3739 Delmar
Henry Ratcliffe	East St. Louis, Ill
Maud Smith	East St. Louis, Ill
Samuel M. McAnaly	Marble Hill, Mo
Jennie Chandler	Marble Hill, Mo
Ewald Glanzel	2021 Morgan
Bertha Behrends	Lebanon, Mo

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DEATHS.

BANNON—At Chester, Ill., James Bannon.

Funeral will take place from the undertaking rooms of Cullinane Bros., 1313 West Jefferson avenue, on Wednesday, March 20th, 1895, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., to St. Teresa's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

Alton (Ill.) papers please copy.

CHAPPELL—Passed away Monday evening, March 18, Martha Elizabeth Chappell, widow of the late John T. Chappell, in the 64th year of her age.

Funeral service Wednesday, 20th, at 2 p. m., from residence of her son, W. G. Chappell, 3810 Westminster place. Interment private.

LARGE—March 19, 1895, at 9:50 a. m., Mrs. Georgina Large, aged 56 years.

Due notice of funeral will be given.

RODDY—Mrs. Lily Roddy, beloved wife of Michael Roddy, on March 18, at 4 a. m., aged 23 years.

Funeral will take place from her late residence, 1837 Division street, Wednesday, March 20, at 2 p. m.

SCHAUS—On March 17, in the city of New York, in the 41st year of her age, Marie Emilie Schaus, wife of Hermann Schaus, and the eldest daughter of Dr. John B. Johnson and Nancy Lucas.

Due notice of funeral will be given.

Burial Permits.

Sister H. Antonia, 53, St. Mary's Infirmary; uraemia.

Louis Humphrey, 22, Quarantine; small-pox.

Joseph Seitz, 21, Quarantine; small-pox.

Eugene W. Seidel, 1 month, 4125A Lee; bronchitis.

Mary J. Evans ,28, 2619 Glasgow; albumnuria.

Viola Edwards, 2, 6119 Minerva; whooping-cough.

Anonika Taukowski, 11 months; bronchitis.

Charles Herman Kumman, 30, 3854 Garfield; appendicitis.

John Steffin, 70, 3229 Pennsylvania; gastroenteritis.

Lucille McSweeney, 4 months, 3850 Magnolia; marasmus.

Ella Syble Miller, 12, 811 Prairie; diphtheria.

Willie Blessing, 38, 1507 Hebert; laryngitis.

Jennie Gilham, 28, 2902 North Ninth; consumption.

Florence Connell, 2, 1602 North Seventeenth diphtheria.

Catherine Walsh, 60, 3850 St. Ferdinand; paralysis.

Minerva Hamilton, 55, 1107 North Sixteenth; la grippe.

Arvell D. Singleton, months, 4346 Cottage; pneumonia.

Th. Givens' baby, 2137 O'Bear; premature birth.

Joseph Lake, 3 days, 3502 North Twenty-third; premature birth.

Mamie Reechle, 3, 808 Ann; diph-croup.

Tim Slattery, 68, City Hospital; valvular disease of heart.

Charles Singley, 39, Mullanphy Hospital; congestion of brain.

Margaretha Kautzmann, 85, 3737 Laclede; burns.

John Healey, 61, Insane Asylum; consumption.

Minnie Bradley, 24, 917 Russell; pleuro-pneumonia.

Lillian Faith Robinson, 1, 1703 South Twelfth; la grippe.

Cellie Andrews, 49, 1316 Chestnut; consumption.

John Nealy, 24, 1714 Biddle; fever.

W. M. Dickson, 40, Missouri Pacific Hospital; consumption.

Elizabeth Pourcely, 70, 806 Barry; bronchitis.

Margretta Meyer, 2, City Hospital; pneumonia.

Mary Nolti, 29, Female Hospital; syphilis.

Mathilda Wiethuechter, 3 weeks, 2534 Benton; convulsions.

Funeral of Tom Dorris.

The funeral of Tom Dorris, who died in San Antonio, Tex., took place from Lynch's undertaking rooms at 2 p. m. Monday to Bellefontaine Cemetery.

THE TRAVELERS GUIDE.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF THROUGH TRAINS AT UNION STATION, ST. LOUIS TIME. For schedules of Suburban Trains see regular Railroad Time Cards.

Air Line.

LOUISVILLE, EVANSVILLE AND ST. LOUIS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD.

Trains.	Depart.	Arrive.
Louisville Mail and Express, d'ly	8:08 am	6:44 am
Louisville Mail and Express, d'ly	8:10 pm	5:52 pm

Burlington Route.

ST. L., K. & N. W. R. R.—UNION STATION.

For Alton—Leave—7:41 a.m. daily, 8:20 a.m. except Sunday, 10:00 a.m. except Sunday, 11:40 a.m. daily, 2:30 p.m. except Sunday, 5:00 p.m. daily, 5:51 p.m. except Sunday, 7:40 p.m. daily.

From Alton—Arrive—7:30 a.m. daily, 8:05 a.m. except Sunday, 9:00 a.m. except Sunday, 10:55 p.m. daily, 1:15 p.m. daily, 1:41 p.m. except Sunday, 4:00 p.m. daily, 4:40 p.m. except Sunday, 9:25 p.m. daily.

For Orchard Farm and Old Monroe—Leave—5:00 p.m. except Sunday.

From Orchard Farm and Old Monroe—Arrive—8:40 a.m. except Sunday.

C., B. & Q. R. R.

Rock Island, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Peoria, La Crosse and Dubuque Express, daily	8:35 am	5:20 pm
Rock Island, Bushnell, Galesburg, Peoria Ex., daily	8:20 pm	6:48 am

ST. L., K. & N. W. R. R.—UNION STATION.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Minneapolis, St. Paul, Spirit Lake and Cedar Rapids Express, daily	11:40 am	4:00 pm
Denver, Lincoln, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Joseph, Leavenworth and California Night Express, daily	8:45 pm	7:30 am
Helena, Montana Points, North Pacific Coast and Black Hills, daily	8:45 pm	7:30 am
Hannibal, Quincy, Keokuk and Burlington Night Ex., daily	7:40 pm	7:15 am
Kansas City, Atchison, St. Joseph and Leavenworth, daily	7:40 am	9:25 pm
Fast Mail—Hannibal, Quincy and Burlington, daily	2:30 am	
Local Pass'ger from Quincy, d'ly	....	1:15 pm
St. Paul and Minneapolis, daily except Sunday	7:40 pm	7:15 am

B. & O. S.-W. Ry.

(Formerly Ohio & Mississippi Railway.)

	Depart.	Arrive.
Local Express—Cincinnati and intermediate points, daily except Sunday	7:16 am	6:48 pm
Royal Blue Flyer—Cincinnati, Louisville, Columbus, Pittsburg, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York, daily	8:00 am	6:00 pm
New York Express—Cincinnati, Louisville, Columbus, Pittsburg, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York, daily	8:05 pm	7:12 am

Big Four Route.

CLEVELAND, CINCINNATI, CHICAGO & ST. LOUIS RAILWAY.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Day Express, daily	7:00 am	6:06 pm
Southwestern L't'd Exp., daily	8:05 am	7:00 pm
Knickerbocker Special, daily	12:00 m	7:50 am
Alton Express, Sunday only	....	10:25 am
Boston, New York, Cincinnati and Washington Exp., daily	7:55 pm	7:00 am

Bluff Line.

ST. LOUIS, CHICAGO & ST. PAUL R. R.
Depot Broadway and Mullanphy Street.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Springfield and Jerseyville, daily except Sunday	8:20 am	11:15 am
Springfield and Jerseyville, daily	5:00 pm	7:25 pm

Chicago & Alton.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago Limited, daily	8:45 am	7:12 pm
Chicago Palace Express, daily	8:56 pm	7:28 am
Chicago Midnight Special, daily	11:30 pm	2:30 am
Chicago Day Local Exp., daily	7:25 am	7:46 pm
Chicago Night Local Exp., daily	[illegible]	10:32 am
Kansas City Vestibuled Limited, daily	8:40 pm	7:08 am
Kansas City Day Express, daily	[illegible]	7:00 pm

Cairo Short Line.

ST. L., A. & [illegible] R. R.

	Depart.	Arrive.
New Orleans Fast Mail, Cairo, Memphis, Paducah and Metropolis Express, daily	7:40 am	6:44 pm
New Orleans Limited, Cairo, Memphis and Vicksburg Express, Florida Short Line, d'ly	[illegible] pm	7:44 am
Cape Girardeau Express, daily except Sunday	[illegible] am	....
Parker City, Creal Springs and Murphysboro Express, daily except Sunday	[illegible] pm	10:52 am
Chester, Perryville and Sparta Express, daily except Sunday	[illegible] am	10:52 am
Chester and Sparta Express, daily except Sunday	[illegible] pm	6:44 pm

C., P. & St. L.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Peoria and Springfield Mail, daily except Sunday	[illegible] am	7:06 pm
Peoria Special, daily	[illegible] pm	6:32 am

St. L. & San Francisco.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Kansas and Colorado Mail, daily	[illegible]	[illegible]
Arkansas and Texas Vest., daily	[illegible]	[illegible]
Colorado and California Ex., d'ly	[illegible]	[illegible]
Arkansas and Texas Ex., daily	[illegible]	[illegible]

M. & O. R. R.

	Depart.	Arrive.
New Orleans and Mobile Fast Express, daily	7:32 am	11:52 am
Mobile and Florida Exp., daily	7:25 pm	7:32 pm
Cairo, Cape Girardeau and Jackson Express, daily	7:32 am	11:52 am
Murphysboro, Sparta, Chester and Percy Accommodation, daily except Sunday	4:30 pm	10:40 am

Cotton Belt.

ST. LOUIS SOUTHWESTERN RAILWAY.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Cotton Belt Express, daily	7:30 am	6:50 pm
Fast Mail, daily	8:05 am	6:05 am

Clover Leaf.

TOLEDO, ST. LOUIS & KANSAS CITY RY.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Mail and Express, daily ex. Sun.	7:44 am	5:56 pm
Toledo Express, daily	6:45 pm	7:52 am

Iron Mountain Route.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Texas Fast Mail to Little Rock, Texarkana, Dallas, Waco, Fort Worth, El Paso, Los Angeles and San Francisco, daily	3:05 am	6:05 am
Columbus Accommodation, daily	7:50 am	6:45 pm
Hot Springs, Dallas and Fort Worth Express, daily	9:40 am	6:10 pm
Texas Special—Dallas, Fort Worth, Galveston, San Antonio, Laredo, New Orleans and City of Mexico, daily	8:15 pm	7:25 am
Hot Springs and Memphis Special Express, daily	8:36 pm	7:00 am

LEAVING FOURTH AND CHOUTEAU AVENUE DEPOT.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Arcadia Accommodation	4:30 pm	9:40 am
DeSoto Accommodation	5:30 pm	8:20 am

L. & N. R. R.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Fast Mail to Evansville, Nashville, Chattanooga, Atlanta, Birmingham, Mobile, New Orleans and Jacksonville, Fla., daily	7:50 am	7:20 pm
Belleville Accommodation, daily except Sunday	11:30 am	2:00 pm
Mount Vernon Accommodation, daily except Sunday	5:00 pm	9:10 am
Southern Express to Nashville, Birmingham, Mobile, New Orleans, Thomasville and Jacksonville, Fla., daily	7:35 pm	7:20 am

Missouri Pacific Ry.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Local Passenger	7:55 am	6:00 pm
Kan. City, Omaha, Lincoln and Southern Kansas Exp., daily	9:00 am	6:25 pm
Washington Accommodation	5:25 pm	8:00 am
Kansas City, St. Joseph, Omaha, Southern Kansas and Colorado Fast Line, daily	8:20 pm	6:55 am

M., K. & T.

Boonville, Sedalia, Clinton, Fort Scott, Parsons and Indian Territory Express	9:30 am	6:00 pm
Fort Worth, Dallas, Taylor, Waco and Austin Express	11:30 pm	5:30 am
Fort Worth, Dallas, San Antonio and Galveston Express	9:30 am	6:00 pm
St. Charles, Sedalia, Fort Scott and Denison Express	11:30 pm	5:30 am

St. Louis & Hannibal.

(Via Wabash Railroad.)

	Depart.	Arrive.
Mail and Express, daily	8:30 am	11:00 am
Mail and Express, daily	[illegible]	6:30 pm

St. L., K. C. & Colo.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Union Accommodation (Forsythe Junction), daily ex. Sunday	6:30 am	5:20 pm
Union Express, daily	4:30 pm	8:35 am

Vandalia Line.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Trains Nos. 20 and 21, daily	8:10 am	7:00 pm
Day Express, daily	8:40 am	7:20 pm
Indianapolis Accommodation, daily except Sunday	11:25 am	[illegible]
New York Limited, daily	1:00 pm	[illegible]
New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Express, daily	[illegible]	7:00 am
Effingham Accommodation	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Day Ex., daily ex. Sun.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Diamond Special, daily	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cincinnati Day Express, daily	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cincinnati Night Express, daily	[illegible]	[illegible]

Wabash Line.

(Lines East of the Mississippi.)

	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago Local Express, daily	7:25 am	[illegible]
Chicago Fast Express, daily	9:00 am	[illegible]
Toledo, Detroit and New York Fast Express, daily	[illegible]	[illegible]
Decatur Accommodation, daily except Sunday	4:55 pm	[illegible]
Toledo, Detroit, New York and Boston Vestibuled Limited Fast Express, daily	7:00 pm	[illegible]
Chicago Vestibuled Limited, d'ly	[illegible]	[illegible]

(Lines West of the Mississippi.)

	Depart.	Arrive.
Kansas City Mail and Ex., daily	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kansas City and Ottawa, daily except Sunday	[illegible]	[illegible]
Omaha, Des Moines and St. Paul Express, daily	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kansas City Fast Night Express, daily	[illegible]	[illegible]

SHE FIRED AT THE ALLIANCA.

It Was the Spanish Cruiser Conde de Venandito.

CAPTAIN'S OFFICIAL REPORT.

Says He Thoght the American Merchantman Was an English Ship.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

HAVANA, Cuba, March 19.—The commander of the Spanish cruiser Conde de Venadito reports having fired on a steamship flying the English flag. He says that two blank shots were fired first and then two with ball. It is presumed here that the cruiser was mistaken in the nationality of the flag and that the steamer fired upon was the Allianca.

The commander stated that while cruising off the coast of Cuba March 8 he sighted a steamer heading for Maisi Point. The cruiser hoisted her flag and the steamer replied by raising the English colors. The cruiser again signaled the steamer to stop without effect when the cruiser fired first two blank shots and then two solid shots, not to hit the steamer, but to bring her to. The commander asserts she was but one and a half miles from the coast at the time. It is reported here that the Allianca brought south on the trip 24,000 rifles, also that on the night preceding the firing she landed some men who were passengers on the eastern end of the island.

Not the English Flag.

NEW YORK, March 19.—Capt. Crossman denies that the English flag was hoisted on the Allianca when she was fired upon.

Capt. Crossman is making an affidavit in regard to the matter of the flag. An affidavit is also to be made by the boatswain, who hoisted the American ensign by Capt. Crossman's order.

REPORTS OF BATTLES.

Both Sides Said to Have Lost Heavily in a Fight Near Jiguani.

HAVANA, Cuba, March 19.—A fight occurred at Ote del Cristo on Friday between a small detachment of Spanish troops under Capt. Ganich, and 800 insurgents. In spite of the difference in numbers, the Spanish detachment only consisting of forty men the insurgents were put to flight, leaving five dead and wounded on the field, and all their supplies. The Spaniards lost one man and several horses. There are also unconfirmed rumors of a hard fight near Jiguani in which both sides lost heavily.

The Spanish soldiers sent over will be ordered to remain in Porto Rico while 2000 troops now stationed there and who can stand this climate better will be ordered here.

Gen. Sanguily established his right to a trial in the civil tribunals instead of court martial. He is charged by the Spanish authorities with participation in the rebellion. On the other hand the rebellious Cubans charge him with betraying their secrets and threaten to assassinate him.

THE SCHOONER IRENE.

Identity of the Vessel Said to Have Been Sunk by a Spanish Cruiser.

KEY WEST, Fla., March 19.—It is reported here that the vessel said to have been fired into and sunk by a Spanish warship was the schooner Irene, and that the ship which sunk her is the Infanta Isabel. The news was brought to this city this afternoon by a vessel engaged in the cattle trade between this port and the mainland.

The Irene is a small schooner owend in this port by Canary Islanders. She has been employed in the fish trade all winter, but within the past few days returned with a party of court officials from Fort Meyers, where an important murder trial has been held. She afterwards sailed for the fish ranch at Punta Gorda, where, it was reported, an expedition sailed for Cuba.

This point has been under surveillance by the Spanish cruiser, and the schooner was followed in here and fired into. This is the report given by fishermen at the ranch to a vessel which has just arrived. The family and owner and the crew of the Irene live here, and considerable alarm has been occasioned by the news.

JUST THE CHANCE WANTED.

Officials at Havana Think That Allianca Was Rightly Served.

NEW YORK, March 19.—The steamer of the Ward line, which sailed March 15, has arrived. Among were two Cubans, who say the firing on the Allianca Havana before the departure steamer. One of the passengers Spanish official in authority remark just the chance that was they had been waiting for an excuse on the Americans. He expressed general feeling of all Spaniards, that Americans are secretly the rebels and are sending arms ammunition from Florida. provinces now engaged in the revolt nama, Mantiago de Cuba, Holguin, and Veguetui. The rebel consist of about 6,000 men. The government forces consist of about 8,000 and 8,500 more are now enroute Spain. There are about 50,000 volunteers who will take up arms for Spain, but Cubans seem to think little of them as fighters. They say they are principallly clerks who were pressed into service and would have little heart to fight. The rebels are marching toward Puerto Principe, which is the seat of the revolution.

GOING TO LIBERIA.

The Emigration Fever Has Struck the Negroes of Arkansas.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

GOURDIN, Ark., March 19.—A secret movement is being agitated among a number of negroes of this section to unite in a general exodus of negroes from the Southern States to Liberia. Rev. Robinson, a prominent colored divine of this city, heads the movement, and is in constant correspondence with the American Emigration Society of Birmingham, Ala., in his endeavor to promulgate the interests of his race by securing passage for them to the dark continent. He is in receipt of numerous letters from various points in Liberia giving glowing accounts of the beauties and fertility of the country, and detailing the many advantages and positive inducements offered by reason of favorable climatic conditions, etc., to negroes of the country. Many are now so desirous of disposing of their possessions here that they may join others bound for the new Eldorado. It is estimated that a colony of about 100 persons will leave this point just as soon as necessary arrangements can be effected.

The Donau's Crew Saved.

LIVERPOOL, March 19.—The British tank Delaware, Capt. Thomas, from New March 6, has arrived in the River having on board the crew of the Donau, which was abandoned in When sighted by the Delaware, had been on fire for thirty-six the crew had taken to the boats. abandoned steamer was probably the steamer Donau, which sailed from on March 8 for Philadelphia and News.

Gratiot and Not Papin Street.

published account of the attack of Sappington on her aged and blind law, Linton Sappington, it was mistake, the family lived at 1534 street. It should be No. 1534 Gratiot

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Have you seen that "$10 Morris Chair?"

NO REFUSALS ARE EXPECTED.

Democratic Council Tickets Likely to Remain Unchanged.

KEEPING NOMINEES IN LINE.

Ewing the Only One Who May Persist in His Position of Declining to Make the Race.

It is highly probable that no changes will be made in the Democratic Council ticket nominated by the convention last Saturday. At best only one change will be made, unless there is a serious break in the plans of the powers that be.

Col. Nicholas M. Bell said Tuesday that he was of the opinion that the time had passed when a candidate would withdraw and that the names of A. B. Ewing and Laclede J. Howard would be placed on the ticket. "They need have no fear that they will have more work to do than they have time for, as the work has already been done and what remains will be done for them," said Col. Bell.

"We have means of knowing that our ticket will be elected. I need not say how, because if I should you would print it. I had a long talk with Mr. Howard and I am of the opinion that he will consent to remain on the ticket. Mr. Ewing, I am informed, still refuses to allow his name to go on the ticket and we may not be able to get him to make the race, but the next day or two will tell."

In the event of Mr. Ewing's positive refusal to allow his name to go before the people, the Democratic City Central Committee will name the candidate. The name of Robert Rutledge of Rutledge & Kilpatrick, real estate dealers, is being prominently mentioned for the place. His friends are making a strong fight in his behalf.

a long talk with Mr. Howard and I am one

Pat O'Malley, who was one of the men considered by the committee of twenty-eight, is also being strongly urged upon the Central Committee. He has a strong following, but is said to have made an enemy of Cunningham, the saloon man, when he was in the Council before, and that is being worked against him.

Pat Carmody's name is also being mentioned, but Ed Butler's antagonism is likely to defeat his chances.

Mr. Ewing stated positively that he would not make the race and would not accept the office if elected. He is determined to keep his name off the ticket.

Laclede J. Howard, although he has not formally consented to remain in the race, has left his candidacy in the hands of his friends to a certain extent, and every indication points to his name being left on the ticket. He could not be seen as he was taken sick shortly after he reached his office Tuesday morning and had to return home.

TAKING OFF THE DEAD MEN.

Purging the Registration Books of Names That Should Not Be There

The determination of Recorder of Voters Charles P. Higgins to purge the lists of all fraudulent names and to secure a fair and impartial registration has begun to make a practical showing in the returns. The First Precinct in the First Ward has been revised and over 400 names stricken off. The anti-Cronin faction in the First Ward, which is fighting the return of James H. Cronin to the House of Delegates, has furnished the Republican reviser and his deputies a list of names which, it is claimed, were placed on the list by fraud.

They charge that these names were registered for the benefit of repeaters to be used in behalf of Cronin. This the latter denies. From the boarding house kept by Mrs. Curran, Cronin's mother-in-law, on South Main street, seventy-seven names were registered. Sixty-three of them were stricken off. The committee of Public Safety has taken a hand in the work and demanded an investigation of all names registered from Mrs. Morrissey's boarding house on South Broadway and from several other places where fictitious names are alleged to have been placed on the lists. These names, it is said, have been worked in by professional repeaters, who are as likely to vote for Republican as for Democratic cabndidates.

The attention of the Recorder was called to the fact that a number of dead men have been on the lists for a number of years and he is now making an effort to have all such skullduggery brought to an end. He appointed Republican revisers in the wards where Democratic frauds were committed and Democratic revisers in suspected Republican wards. The Republican revisers have, however, attempted to take advantage of the liberality and fair treatment accorded them by the Recorder to attempt to secure the advantage for the Republican party. They have made a demand upon him for the books of his office and are endeavoring to work themselves into the possession of records which will enable them to dictate what names shall be stricken off and what shall remain on the lists.

In the Second Ward a campaign of crookedness has been planned by the Republican reviser and the Republican City Central Committee, which, if it carries, will give the Republicans as much advantage as the Democrats had in the fall election, and will be as fraudulent as the worst charges made against the name of John P. Owen, District Assessor and member of the Democratic City Central Committee from the Second Ward, has been stricken off.

The problem of cheap fuel at Houston has been solved by the working of lignite coal mines near Rockdale.

THEY ESCAPE THE TAX.

Foreign Bondholders Do Not Come Under the Income Law.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 19.—Officials of the Internal Revenue Bureau are regretting that there is no provision to reach the incomes of non-residents derived from interest upon railroad and other American securities. The bill as passed by the House provided that interest upon the bonds of corporations should be regarded as net earnings, and that 2 per cent should be deducted from the amount to be paid by the corporations to the holders of their bonds, whether residents or not, but the Senate changed this to exempt all interest on bonds or other indebtedness. The clause excludes the foreign bond-holders, while compelling the resident bond-holders to pay. In the case of railroads the interest on bonded indebtedness exceeds several times the net earnings, and as the greater portion of these securities are held abroad the Government will lose millions.

The work of collecting income returns is greatly retarded by the test in the Supreme Court of the constitutionality of the tax, many people being chary of filling out the blanks until the question is decided. As the court is aware of this fact, an early decision is looked for. It is anticipated it may be rendered about March 31.

TOURNAMENT OF THE NATIONS.

Why Penny & Gentles' Display of Fashions Is the Best.

There is a legend, no one knows how well authenticated, that many years ago, there was great rivalry among the nations, as to which should lead in styles, and finally the vexed question was settled, by a tournament for the displays of each nation. England, Germany, Russia, Italy, Spain, and the other countries had their day, and there were many varying opinions as to the matter of supremacy, until France entered the lists. Then indeed there was so bewildering a display, such richness in coloring, such gorgeous effects in silks, and laces, and flowers and feathers, that the Grand Prix was at once awarded to France, and Parisian styles hold the supremacy to the present day. Hence this is called the Parisian year. No hat is deemed too gay for street wear, and the richest velvets, laces, ribbons, and flowers of every hue, are happily combined in the most artistic fashion. To see all of this, one must go to Penny & Gentles' and make a study of the new and artistic styles, and combinations, brought back by Mrs. Ness, who has spent several weeks in choosing the daintiest novelties of this prolific season. The violets that grow so plentifully upon every chapeau, need only fragrance to make them perfect, and they are used on day and evening hats, trimmed with ribbons or plumes. Indeed they are the only blossom that harmonizes with everything, and they serve to tone down the most bizarre effects.

A delicate shade of green straw, combined with black tulle, and jet, has a bunch of mignonette at the back, and on the crown a dark purple poppy. Maize yellow, and a light shade of purple combined, and christened Sans-Gene is very effective. Purple violets, and pink roses, make a charming combination. At Penny & Gentles' all of these combinations are shown to perfection, for the immense show cases are filled with flowers of every hue, artistically disposed, with the fine laces, and straws, and jets and plumes, with which the skillful milliners, under Mrs. Ness' direction will fashion exquisite confections, rivaling in beauty and style, the Parisian chapeau, and at a most moderate cost. In order to enhance the richness of this wealth of color, palms, with their dark green leaves, and hundreds of stately white lilies are used.

In the cape and suit department under the management of Mrs Blakesly, there is a very comprehensive display of suits, and waists and skirts, and jackets and capes, everything that one needs for a smart spring wardrobe. For practical wear, the Scotch cheviots, and serges are unexcelled, and nobby suits of these may be had, as low as $5.00. Feminine fancy remains faithful to the fashion of associating skirts and waists that contrast, and for this purpose, nothing is so pretty and effective as the crepons, which are more deeply indented and rugged than last season, and come at all prices, so that a smart skirt may be had for $5 or $6 and a very swell one for $15. This material is well adapted to the new skirts, as its very roughness makes an admirable contrast for the dressy waists of silk, of every hue, or silk and chiffon and lace. Nothing can be prettier than the independent skirts, and the cool, fresh looking shirt-waists which are daintier this season than ever before.

There are also silk and satin skirts in the newest effects. In top garments, the dressy little capes take the lead and are shown here in velvets, cord silk and lace, richly ornamented with ribbons, or jet. A novelty is of perforated cloth, lined with colored silk. The short jacket will also be popular as a spring wrap, to wear with the shirt-waist. In making a pilgrimage to the Mecca of fashion on the second floor, one must be impressed with the wonderful display of fashionable dress goods, and with the novelties in garments which are on the counters of the first floor.

GAVE THE SON A TOSS.

Unique Way of Satisfying a Grudge Against a Father.

John Manion of Cheltenham applied for a warrant for Patrick Brady, a neighbor. Manion alleged that Brady, to satisfy a grudge, seized Manion's son Johnnie by the collar, Sunday, and tossed him in the air. When the lad fell his knee struck a stone. Later, Manion alleged, Brady was prevented by Mrs. Manion from making a second attack on the boy. Manion was referred to the Police Court.

Whitney's Voice for War.

NAPLES, March 19.—Hon. Whitney, ex-secretary of the navy in speaking of the recent Spanish outrages said: "The firing upon the Allianca was deliberate and with a full knowledge of the character of the act. I can not recall so wanton an outrage as happening to any first class power in fifty years. It is a disgrace to us and lies at our doorsteps.

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75 Storm Serge and Crepon Skirts, real value $7.50; Our Price........ $4.75

100 Elegant Velvet Capes, plain or braided, and Handsome Cloth Capes, all colors, all sizes, worth from $10.50 up to $13.75; Wednesday only........ $7.50

For Wednesday we will place on sale a lot of Fancy Silk Waists, worth $6.00; Our Price........ $3.95

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Stylishly Trimmed Hats, worth $5.00; Our price........ $2.75

Exquisitely Designed Trimmed Hats, sold elsewhere for $10.00 and $12.00; Our price........ $5.00 and $7.50

Special Display of Imported Models all this week.

75 dozen Point Venice Vandyke Lace Collars, worth $1.00; Our Price........ 49c

LINENS.

100 dozen full 24-inch Bleached Damask dinner napkins, regular $2.25 goods, Our Price To-Day $1.50

100 dozen 21x42-inch Hemmed Huck Towels, sold everywhere at 20c, Our Price 15c Each

2 cases good quality Table Padding, regular 40c grade, Our Price, 25c

1 lot extra large size Unbleached Turkish Towels, actual measure 22x48 inches, 20c goods, Our Price, 12½c

All Linen Damask Table Cloths, 2¼ yards long, with or without colored border, value at $1.50, Our Price, 89c

Wash Goods Dep't.

50 pieces desirable styles Printed Dimities, usual 12½c goods, Our Price, 8 1-3c

Lot of Amoskeag Apron Ginghams, 7½c goods, Our Price To-Day, 4c

10-4 Bleached Sheets, 2½ yards long, At 46c Each

This is less than material costs.

Extra size Marseilles Pattern Crochet Quilts, $1.25 quality, Our Price, 95c

Large size and good quality Marseilles Quilts, regular $2.50 goods, Our Price, $1.90

Gloves.

Ladies' Kid Gloves, new violet shades, four large pearl buttons, real value $1.25; Our Price 79c

Every pair warranted.

Fans.

Special for opera season, all Feather Fans, worth $1; Our Price 49c

All Feather Fans, spangled, worth $1.50; Our Price 95c

Men's Furnishings.

200 doz Men's Silk Neckwear, in Teck, 4-in-Hands, Club-house and Band Bows; worth 75c and $1.00. Our Price 49c

100 doz Men's White Laundered Dress Shirts, set-in bosom, reinforced front, a good-fitting shirt; regular price, $1.00. Our Price 69c

50 doz Men's Spring-weight Underwear, in white and grays, Shirts and Drawers; these are extra value at 75c. Our Price 49c

50 doz Men's Extra Fine Hose, in tans, slate and black; extra value at 35c. Our Price 25c

Ladies' Knit Underwear

100 dozen Ladies' fine Lisle Finished Vests in colors, Ecru, White, Blue, Lavender and Pink. Tape in Neck and Arms. 15c Each

Ladies' Muslin Gowns, full size and good length, with cambric ruffles around neck and sleeve, real value 50c, For Wednesday Only 39c

100 dozen Extra Good Muslin Drawers, well made, with yoke band, deep hem, cluster of tucks, worth 30c, For Wednesday 19c

50 dozen Muslin Corset Covers, trimmed with lace edging and embroidery, worth 30c, For Wednesday 19c

Elegant lot of Ladies' Gingham Skirts, made extra full, finished with neat ruffle, regular price 60c, For Wednesday 35c

A lot of Infants' Bootees, assorted colors, regular price 20c, For Wednesday 9c

BOUND AND BURNED WITH HOT COALS.

Five Masked Men Torture a Pennsylvania Farmer.

FAILED TO GET HIS MONEY.

Three Women and the Hired Man Tied and Gagged by the Robbers.

NEW CASTLE, Pa., March 19.—Word has reached here that five masked robbers entered the house of John McMillan, near Watts Mills, bound and gagged the hired man and three women and then waited nearly two hours for the return of McMillan. When he came he was bound to a board and leaned head downward against the wall, while the robbers threatened him with instant death unless he divulged the hiding place of his money. McMillan had deposited $1,000 in a bank the day previous.

After burning his feet with hot coals and whipping him unmercifully the ruffians finally believed his story and departed. Mrs. McMillan and daughters, who were compelled to witness the torture of McMillan, are in a very serious condition from fright.

Runaway Boy Arrested.

Paul Floyd, aged 15, was arrested at 3:30 a. m. in the rear of 1214 Franklin avenue, for having run away from his home in St. Joseph, Mo. His father is Charles Floyd of 1226 Frederick avenue, St. Joseph. He asked to be sent home.

A TRIBUTE OF SCIENCE.

Synopsis of a Most Remarkable Lecture Delivered Before the Ninth Medical Congress by Dr. A. L. A. Toboldt of the University of Pennsylvania.

"The famous fountain of health at Carlsbad, in Bohemia, which has been the refuge of invalids for five centuries, is certainly well worthy of a careful study. My experience with this remedial agent has been such that I may truly say that no remedy which I ever employed has given me so much pleasure and profit as this particular one. Selecting a number of chronic hypochondriacs, whose afflictions have baffled all my previous efforts as my subjects, I was truly astonished to note that, although no rigid diet was prescribed, and only a limited amount of exercise was indulged in, I obtained most remarkable results—the complexion, even after a week's use, began to clear up, the step became more firm and elastic, and, what was more, the entire host of hypochondriacal complaints seemed to vanish like mist."

Many imitations of the genuine imported Carlsbad Waters and Carlsbad Sprudel Salt are being sold here by druggists and others. The genuine is bottled under the supervision of the city of Carlsbad, and has the seal of the city and the signature of "Eisner & Mendelson Co.," sole agents for the U. S., New York, on every bottle. All others are worthless imitations.

Dr. Toboldt's lecture, with table of cases treated, will be mailed to any address upon application to the agents of the Carlsbad Spring, Eisner & Mendelson Co., 152 Franklin street, New York.

VISITORS IN TOWN.

H. M. Graham, a business man of Moumouth, Ill., is at the Lindell.

J. T. Wilson, a well known citizen of Sweet Springs, Mo., is located at the Lindell.

Frank P. May, a merchant of Lancaster, Mo., is a guest of the Lindell.

Walter A. Roberts, a young business man of Franklin, Tenn., is registered at the Lindell.

H. D. Williams, president of the Poplar Bluff (Ark.) National Bank is at the St. Nicholas.

Mrs. C. I. Catherwood, the authoress, is a guest of the St. Nicholas.

H. Kraft and wife of New York are quartered at the St. Nicholas. Mr. Kraft is a prominent merchant of that city.

J. A. Horsey, of New York, is located at the Planters. He is vice president of the Mexican National and president of the Cairo & St. Louis Railroad.

Jas. J. Brady, manager of Hallen & Hart, is at the Planters in advance of his company

H. C. Parker of Chicago is a guest of the Planters'.

J. L. Tracey, a prominent wholesale grocer of Helena, Mont., is quartered at the Planters'.

P. B. Syders of the mill furnishing firm Nordyke, Marmon & Co. of Indianapolis, is at the Southern. He intends making headquarters in St. Louis.

W. P. Leshure, Chief of Springfield, Mass., Fire Department, is registered at the Southern.

A. J. Tullock of Leavenworth, Kan., a prominent capitalist, is quartered at the Southern.

Proctor Taylor, a well-known real estate man of Quincy, Ill., is stopping at the Southern.

J. A. Dapray of the United States Army is a guest of the Southern.

M. W. McDonald of the United States Navy is quartered at the Planters'.

C. H. Phillips of Vandalia, Ill., a prominent stock man, is at the St. James.

A. M. Cook of Newburg, N. Y., is at the St. James. He is in St. Louis for the purpose of buying mules.

W. W. Ausley, a business man of Little Rock, Ark., is located at the St. James.

N. T. Hawkins, a merchant of Morrelton, Ark., is a guest of the St. James.

J. W. Korkins, a business man of Sedalia, Mo., is making his headquarters at the St. James.

W. H. Chiles and J. W. Howard, leading stock dealers of Aberdeen, Miss., are at the St. James.

John J. O'Meara, an attorney of New Orleans, La., is quartered at the St. James.

George Mygatt, a merchant of Springfield, Mo., is quartered at Hurst's.

Hon. C. D. Yancy of Piedmont, Mo., is located at Hurst's.

R. S. Clarke, a business man of Hannibal, Mo., is a guest of Hurst's.

A. Trieber, a Chatham, Miss., merchant is to be found at Hurst's.

Col. R. H. Adams, well-known in insurance circles, is at Hurst's.

Mayor Charles Patier of Cairo is at Hurst's. He is here to visit his sons at the Christian Brothers' College.

Capt. Henry McPherson of Boonville, Mo., a well-known contractor, is located at the Laclede.

Capt. E. T. Herndon, proprietor of the Meramec Iron Works, at Cherry Valley, Mo., is stopping at the Laclede.

John B. Laughlin, proprietor of the Union Depot Hotel, at St. Joseph, Mo., is quartered at the Laclede.

H. B. Mistrot, a prominent merchant of Waco, Tex., is making headquarters at the Laclede.

State Architect Gordon of Texas is expected at the Laclede to-day.

The hotels show a decided increase of arrivals, and at some guests are compelled to wait their turns to get rooms. The visitors are largely country merchants, with a liberal sprinkling of Eastern commercial men.

MERCANTILE CLUB ELECTION.

Board of Director's Contest Will Be Lively.

The annual election of fifteen Directors of the Mercantile Club will take place Wednesday and this Board will organize later and choose officers. Nominations are made by petitions and a number have already been filed. Each candidate is required to have ten names to his petition, but many do not stop with this number. It is said that Chancellor Chaplin of the Washington University leads the list with 50 names on his petition.

The new officers will depend largely upon who are elected Directors, but it is thought settled that Joseph D. Bascom will be the next President, as he has the indorsement of a large majority of the candidates for the directory.

O'MEARA TELLS WHERE HE STANDS.

Favors the Substitute Election Bill, and Hopes It Will Pass.

FILLEY'S PLANS UNFOLDED.

Certain Amendments Must Be Made or the House Will Kill the Bill.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 19.—This morning, promptly at 10:30 o'clock the Senate took up the election bill for consideration.

The Republican Senators had caucused the bill and decided upon certain amendments which must be made before voting for the bill. This action on the part of the Republicans was forced by Filley, who had sent Congressman Bartholdt and Ford Smith, his most trusted heeler, to compel Republican Senators to make sufficient opposition to the bill to give the House an excuse for throwing it overboard. In addition to the acknowledged Filley contingent was Judge R. H. Field of Kansas City, who is trying to defeat the measure and who made a speech and subsequently gave out an interview.

Lieut. Gov. O'Meara rose to a question of personal privilege when the hour arrived for taking up the bill for the purpose of explaining his position. Among other things he said: "There have been a great many reports circulated in the newspapers concerning the attitude of the chair on this matter. This bill is not a Dunn bill or a committee bill, but it is a composite bill containing the best thoughts of all the Senators. In the main the newspapers have treated the Senate and the chair with fairness and consideration, but in this event they have been misinformed. I hope the bill will receive the support not only of the majority of the Senators but of the minority as well."

Senator Dunn then briefly explained the provisions of the bill. He disclaimed any personal credit for having drafted the bill and said all the members of the Elections Committee had a share in it. The purpose of the bill was to give honest registration and election, and with this end in view the committee had labored.

Senator Peers offered a number of amendments agreed upon by the Democrats perfecting the language of the bill.

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Substitute Agreed Upon for the Anti-Pool and Trust Bill.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 19.—The conference committee on the substitute for the anti-pool and trust bill submitted its report to the Senate this morning. The conference was appointed to settle the difference between the House and Senate as to whether insurance companies should be excepted from its operations. The committee recommended the following amendment to the bill as the basis on which the House and Senate would agree, which was adopted by both houses, "Provided that the provisions of this section shall not apply to agreements of fire insurance companies, or their agents as boards of fire underwriters to regulate the prices or premium to be paid for insuring property against loss or damage by fire, lightning or storm in cities in this State which now have, or which may hereafter acquire a population of 100,000 inhabitants or more; and, provided further, that if such insurance companies or their agents or the Board of Fire Underwriters doing business in any such city shall combine in such city, either directly or indirectly, to fix or regulate the prices or premium to be paid for insuring property located wholly outside of such city against loss or damage by fire, lightning or storm, such company so violating the provision of this act, either by itself, its agents or by any such boards of underwriters, shall be taken and deemed to have forfeited its right to do business in this State, and shall become liable to all the punishment and penalties and forfeitures provided for by the provision of this act."

MISSOURI MILITIA.

Commissions Issued to Lieutenants by Gov. Stone.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 19.—Gov. Stone to-day ordered military commissions as follows: Ewell E. Buckner, First Lieutenant, Company C, First Regiment infantry; F. N. Cochran, Second Lieutenant same company; James M. Allen, Second Lieutenant, Company C, Second Regiment, infantry.

THE NEW WOMAN IN FRANCE.

Opinion of Messieurs Daudet, Mendes and Zola.

The Pall Mall Gazette has been gathering the opinions of some of the French novelists concerning the new woman. "In woman I see only the mother," says Daudet—and this is exactly what the advanced woman has been complaining of. She wants him to see the citizen as well. Dumas cries: "A man is a being of more value, but a woman is a being of better value." Mendes, being asked if woman was superior or inferior, replied: "She is neither; she is only different, and that is an equality." Mirabeau exclaims: "How can the men estimate her political worth so long as we are blinded by her charms?" When she condescends to become equal with man," says Loti, "the race will die of shame." "She is braiding silken whips," says Zola; "by and by she will put them in the hands of the man she loves, and he will whip her back to subjection with laughter."

A Nightmare, Indeed.

From the Chicago Record.

"Hang it all!" savagely exclaimed the candidate for alderman, "I had an awful dream last night, and I ain't had no sleep."

"What's the matter?" inquired his friend.

"I dreamt," replied the aldermanic candidate. "I dreamt that the people of this here ward had decided not to elect no man except he could read an' write English correct."

The Virtues of It.

From the Cincinnati Tribune.

Mrs. Smallwort: "So you live on free lunches, do you? Do you not know that they are artfully calculated merely to stimulate the unnatural appetite for rum?"

Dismal Dawson: "They do git up a be-utiful thirst, mum, if that's what you mean?"

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HAGAN—"The Ensign."
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HAVLIN'S—"Colorado."
STANDARD—Hyde's Comedians.

MATINEES TO-MORROW.
OLYMPIC—"The War of Wealth."
HAGAN—"The Ensign."
HOPKINS'—Continuous show.

GIVE US A ROLL CALL.

Senator Lyman's resolution providing that no bill shall be called up out of its regular order may or may not have been intended to prevent the consideration of the Fellow Servant bill, but if it would have that effect it ought not to be passed.

The State Senate will make a great mistake if it kills this bill either directly by an adverse vote or indirectly by a tricky resolution like that of Senator Lyman or by a lobby amendment like the proposal to make it general in its application.

Either of these devices will be perfectly understood by the people. The former would enable the slaves of the lobby to dodge a vote and afterwards to fool their constituents with the pretense that they would have voted for it if it could have been reached on the calendar. The latter is a hoary old lobby device that has done similar duty at several previous sessions and which is known by experience to be an easy and effective way of killing the bill.

There must be no dodging and no deadly amendment knife stuck into this measure. Give us a vote. Call the roll. The Post-Dispatch wants to publish it.

THE FLAG MUST BE RESPECTED.

Perhaps Minister Muruaga is now convinced that the Allianca was actually fired upon. The name of the Spanish warship that perpetrated the outrage has been reported by her commander, and the Minister is aware that he has been guilty of some very rash and foolish talk for which he is liable to be called to account.

There can be no doubt that Spain will disavow and apologize for the act of the Conde de Venandito as soon as the facts are made known at Madrid. There will be no war about that and even ex-Secretary Whitney will fail in the effort to stir up an outbreak of jingoism.

But, as the Post-Dispatch has said before, the incident should not be allowed to terminate with an apology for the shots fired at the Allianca. Secretary Gresham has a splendid opportunity to stand firmly and effectively for the doctrine that the American flag protects American ships wherever they may be and that the flag must be respected.

The vindication of this doctrine would be worth a war with Spain if it cannot be established save at the cannon's mouth.

UNSANITARY SCHOOL-HOUSES.

The first result of the investigation of the lighting and ventilation of the public school-houses which has been inaugurated by the School Board Building Committee makes unpleasant reading for the people of St. Louis.

Of three school-houses visited one was found to be miserably defective. In the Franklin School some of the rooms were badly ventilated and were filled with impure air, and several rooms had such insufficient arrangements for lighting that gas must be used on the brightest days. The condition of the Franklin School in respect of these two hygienic necessities may be imagined from the fact that Supt. Kelly estimated that it would cost from $20,000 to $25,000 to remedy its defects.

The information that St. Louis school children are compelled to sit all day in rooms filled with impure air and to study by artificial light is shocking. Impairment of eyesight and the loss of health are the certain consequences of subjecting children to such conditions. The inhumanity and folly of it are inexpressible. It is nothing short of criminal.

The important question now is: How many school-houses are in the condition of the Franklin School? How many children must suffer this cruel wrong? It is unpardonable negligence or incompetence that one school-house should have been so wretchedly constructed and that any number of children should be compelled to use it.

All of the schools must be properly lighted and ventilated, whatever the cost. The School Board must see to this and take care that the plans of the new school buildings are not similarly defective.

Sunday's Post-Dispatch outdistanced its competitors in five and entertaining news and special articles of local and general interest. It contained also **92** columns of advertising, as compared with **81** for the corresponding Sunday last year. The want ads. filled **32** columns, comprising **1,394** separate advertisements, as compared with **27** columns and **1,168** separate advertisements for the corresponding Sunday last year. In circulation the Sunday Post-Dispatch was far ahead of any of its competitors. It was delivered at more homes in St. Louis than the Globe-Democrat and Republic combined.

FILLEY'S HAND FORCED.

Mr. Filley is disturbed. He sees slipping from him the "pure elections" keynote to which he intended to adjust next year's campaign. The Democratic Senate has come out of the hole in which he supposed he had securely placed it. The bill which it has substituted for his own is admittedly better, and if it passes election frauds in St. Louis and Kansas City will not only be made more difficult, but the credit for the reform will belong to the Democrats.

Hence the perturbation at Jefferson City. Hence the Republican caucus to discredit the bill and place obstacles in the shape of unacceptable amendments in the way of its passage. Hence the alleged programme for the House to reject the Senate bill and insist upon its own.

It is a very pretty game as it stands, with Filley in imminent danger of being checkmated. But in the play for partisan advantage there is one thing leaders on both sides must not lose sight of. Genuine election reform is what the people want and are determined to have. They care very little for dexterity in legislative maneuvering. They are not interested in seeing one party or the other "put in a hole." They want a law passed in good faith that will diminish if not entirely prevent the election frauds that have disgraced our large cities. They will punish any party or party leaders that, by open votes or secret trickery, defeat the enactment of such a law.

This is the essential fact for Jefferson City statesmen to keep in mind. The eye of the people is upon them and a fearless press will see to it that the people are not humbugged or deceived.

HOBSON'S CHOICE.

The local Republican Convention presented an extraordinary spectacle of absolute political despotism. Boss Filley ruled the delegates with the eye of authority and the voice of command. Not one dared to oppose his will. He set up and turned down men as he pleased. The ticket nominated represented his will as completely as if he had constituted the entire convention.

The bossism of Ed Butler was not so spectacular and obtrusive, but it was none the less effective for machine purposes. Not daring to assume in a Democratic convention the open dictation to which the Republican convention humbly submitted, Butler accomplished by a trick what Filley accomplished by openly asserted authority. He succeeded in putting the Butler taint so thoroughly on the Democratic ticket that he made it a difficult matter to find any good candidates willing to be identified with it and impossible for self-respecting Democrats to support it in its entirety. Both tickets have suffered from the same causes and the city has been given two striking examples of the evils of bossism.

Citizens who do not like Butler's ticket must accept Filley's ticket or take to the woods. It is Hobson's choice. And the alternative thus presented is probably the result of a clear understanding between the two sets of bosses who rule the party organizations and are striving to control the next Council for their mutual benefit.

SHIELDING AN OPPRESSIVE TRUST.

The situation with regard to the anti-trust bill is discreditable to the State Senate. In passing the House bill it made an exception in favor of the insurance combine and trust. The House refusing to accept the amendment, the Senate declined to recede from its position and has called for a conference.

The Senate's position is indefensible. The Board of Underwriters is one of the most oppressive of trusts. It fixes absolutely the rates of fire insurance. Every branch of the commercial and mercantile industry and every tax-payer suffers from its exactions. No form of property improvement is exempt from its arbitrary levies. The record of insurance rates in the city of St. Louis shows that it is unsparing in the exercise of its taxing power.

The Democratic party is irrevocably committed to the destruction of all monopoly trusts and combines. It is surprising, therefore, that the Democratic Senate should protect a tyrannous trust which the Republican House has condemned. It is especially surprising that all of the Senators from St. Louis except one should vote for an amendment to the anti-trust bill which would sacrifice the interests of their constituents to those of a burdensome combine.

The story which Druggist C. W. Poole tells of his experience in attempting to get a Republican nomination for the House of Delegates from the Second Ward throws an interesting light on municipal politics. He declares that after promising him their support, Central Committeeman Augustus Filley, a nephew of Boss Filley, and his henchmen tried to hold him up for $400, but failing to squeeze him, gave their support to another candidate and used all the power of the machine to defeat him. He charges Filley with instructing his men at the primaries not to sign the returns in case Mr. Poole got more votes than the machine candidate. Plain people wonder how the great Filley and all the lesser Filleys make politics pay. Mr. Poole's experience offers a good illustration of the money-making method and shows what is deemed by the bosses the prime qualification for office.

The House has shifted to the upper branch of the State Legislature the responsibility for another piece of legislation badly needed by the cities of the State. This is the Spencer subway bill authorizing municipalities to construct or contract for the construction of wire subways and compel the burial of all wires. If this bill were made law the principal obstruction in the way of burying the dangerous network of wires would be removed. It clears the path to the best solution of the problem of putting the wires underground. It would enable the cities to get rid of overhead wires without granting franchises of enormous value and yielding possession of sub-street space to wire monopolies. The Senate should pass the bill.

Editor Medill, who had a long interview with Gov. McKinley in Georgia the other day, judges that the Governor recognizes that the silver question will occupy a larger measure of thought and discussion during the next campaign, and that the Republicans will have to be more firm and decisive on that point than they have ever been. This is interesting to the silver Republicans. The Republican leaders have stood by all the gold conspiracies, and it remains to be seen whether they will continue to lead the party blindly on.

The letter of the mother of thirteen children to "the Governor of the United States," asking for a bounty of $1,000, is far more reasonable than the demands of many prosperous persons who have succeeded in getting from the Government a good deal of something for nothing.

The Grand-jury in New York did not fail to mention the acquirement, by the executive head of the police force, of the considerable fortune accumulated as a result of favors granted in the performance of official duty. But Supt. Byrnes is not "resigning" again.

It has been ascertained that Boss Platt takes part of his money to pay pew rent. At the present stage of the investigation, however, the disposition of the remainder is still lost in the political mists that continually gather in the metropolis.

John Bull's wrath will now be aroused by the report that the Spaniards fired on what they supposed was the British flag. The unluckiest of nations is Spain.

The longer the tariff war rages between the United States and Europe the clearer it will appear that commerce should never be shackled.

If Don Cameron has pledged himself to Elkins, it is in the hope, perhaps, of expediting the Cameronian real estate interests in Washington.

Perhaps Reed's strength in the South will be more apparent when the Massachusetts cotton manufacturers shall have all moved there.

If the gold syndicate did not send the President a basket of flowers on his birthday they are lacking in sentiment as well as gratitude.

It is worth noting that only the best men are getting off the Democratic ticket. The worst nominations were put on to stick.

The annexation of Cuba and its division into States would give us some more sugar Senators.

Gov. Morton has been coasting at Loon Lake. It is rumored that he is going to let Platt slide.

Even the foot-ball teams are denouncing the barbarism of the Indiana Legislature.

On the Right Line.

From the Shoe and Leather Gazette.

The St. Louis Post-Dispatch showed enterprise and local patriotism last week in interviewing visiting retail merchants as to their reasons for buying in St. Louis and following this up with interviews with wholesale merchants concerning the reasons given. Col. Chas. H. Jones, who manages the Post-Dispatch, has begun to chop along the right line and it is to be hoped that his ax will grow sharper, not duller.

Some Georgia Names.

From the Chicago Record.

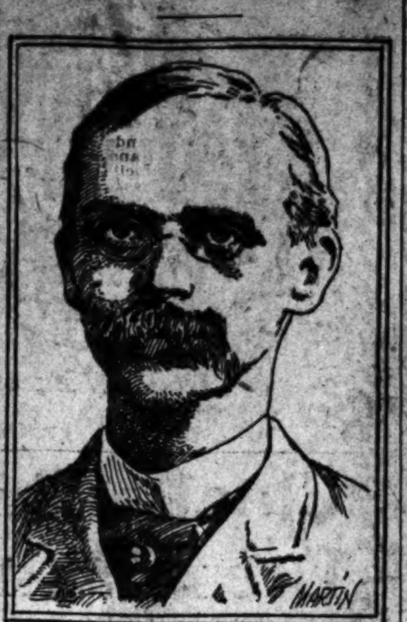
The New York Sun has been making a specialty of Georgia proper names, but Farish Tate, a member-elect of the Fifty-fourth Congress from Alpharetta district; Hamp Whorter, a member of the State Judiciary; Jude Buck, a prominent Democratic politician, and Dade Hopup, a genial gentleman from the turpentine farms, seems to have escaped observation.

Relief Beyond.

Written for the Post-Dispatch.

We all do hope for future rest,
And no man knows what will be;
So let us pray, where'er we go,
We'll hear no more of Trilby.

WELL-KNOWN ST. LOUISANS



Dr. E. W. Saunders.

Dr. Edward Watts Saunders was born in Campbell County, Virginia, October 15, 1854, and was educated in the schools at Charlottesville. He graduated from the University of Virginia in 1875, after which he went to Europe and took a post-graduate course in a Vienna university. Returning to this country he came to St. Louis and began a practice which has since rendered him prominent and wealthy. Dr. Saunders was one of the founders of "Bethesda," a society for the aid of old women, foundlings and waifs, which has done a great amount of good in the city the past four years. In 1894, Dr. Saunders was offered a professorship in the University of Virginia, but did not accept.

MEN OF MARK.

Sardou is engaged upon another play of the French revolutionary period.

Prince Bismarck has a very loud, harsh voice, and generally speaks in a dogmatic dictatorial way that admits of no contradiction.

Of Worth, the famous French milliner, it is said that, though he personally fitted all his patrons, "the woman is not living to whom he ever paid a compliment."

Yale's oldest graduate, Rev. Henry Herrick, of the class of 1822, is dead, but the earliest graduate of Harvard, Rev. William Henry Furness, of the class of 1820, still lives.

A monument to the memory of Marshal Canrobert is to be erected at Saint Cere, his native place. Great enthusiasm is manifested over the project by the friends of the dead soldier.

The new secretary of the Japanese Legation, Mr. K. Matsui, has arrived at Washington. He is a young man of twenty-seven or thereabouts, is a graduate of the Imperial University of Tokio and speaks English fluently.

WOMEN OF NOTE.

Mrs. George Parsons Lathrop is in Jamaica visiting her brother, Julian Hawthorne.

The wife of the new French President is said to be very clever, very Sphinx-like, very ambitious, and very determined.

Lady Dilke is busily engaged in writing a series of articles dealing with Randolph Caldecott, his art, character and correspondence.

Miss Adele M. Fields would balance the Chinese immigration differently by only having as many Chinamen coming here as there are Americans going to China.

Mrs. Ann Featherstone, age ninety-eight years, of Columbus, O., cut a large tooth a few days ago. The performanc, however, caused a preliminary three weeks' illness.

The first prize for the prettiest costume worn at the masked ball at Monte Carlo was won by Miss Milner Gibson, an English girl, who went as the "Queen of Clubs." The verdict in her favor was unanimous.

WITH THE WITS.

The amateur lady who attempts to play Trilby will put her foot in it.—New Orleans Picayune.

An old hen is the most exclusive of all fowls. She doesn't allow any chicks about her that don't belong to her set.—Atlanta Journal.

Father: "So you wish to make my daughter your wife?" Suitor: "Well, it's the only way I can see of becoming your son-in law."—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Old Man: "What! You have 10,000 thalers in debts and want to marry my daughter?" Would-be son-in-law: "Why, ain't your daughter going to have so much as that?"—Fliegende Blatter.

How ridiculous to say one is pretty as a picture! There is no similarity between a person and a picture. In one case the frame is on the inside and in the other it is on the outside.—New York Telegram.

Daughter: "Papa, I wish you wouldn't look so fierce when young men call to see me. It frightens them." Father: "How shall I look—meek?" Daughter: "Um—not too meek; that might scare them off, too."—New York Weekly.

The Value of Filtering Water.

From the New York World.

As a result of the experiments in filtering the water of the Merrimac at Lawrence, Mass., it has been found that 98 per cent of the germs of typhoid fever and other diseases present in the water are removed by proper filtration. Since the introduction of the system now in use the deaths from typhoid fever in Lawrence have been reduced 60 per cent.

Nature.

(An unpublished poem by Thoreau from March Scribner.)

O Nature! I do not aspire
To be the highest in the quire—
To be a meteor in the sky,
Or comet that may range on high;
Only a zephyr that may blow
Among the reeds by the river low;
Give me thy most privy place
Where to run my airy race.

In some withdrawn, unpublic mead
Let me sigh upon a reed,
Or in the woods, with leafy din,
Whisper the still evening in;
Some still work give me to do—
Only—be it near to you!

For I'd rather be thy child
And pupil in the forest wild,
Than be the king of men elsewhere,
And most sovereign slave of care;
To have one moment of thy dawn,
Than share the city's year forlorn.

VIGNETTES OF CITY LIFE.

Airing Their Troubles.

"Hello!"

"Hello! How are you?"

"First rate. How is yourself?"

"O, middling."

They are on a Suburban electric car going west. One had ridden from the terminus. The other got on at Grand avenue, and, taking a vacant seat, found herself beside an acquaintance. They belonged to that very respectable class of young women who make their living by working for their more fortune-favored sisters.

"Where have you been?" asked the first young woman after the customary kiss and the last comer had adjusted herself in her seat.

"O, I have been down to see Kate."

"How does she like her new place?"

"First rate. They keep three girls. She does upstairs work and gets $16."

"I'll declare. That's splendid. I wish I could get such a place."

"How do you like your place—no better?"

A shrug of the shoulder answered the question.

"Something like my own," said the one who asked the question. "I'll declare, I don't see how some girls are so lucky. Look at me—doing general housework for $12 a month. I wouldn't mind that if the madam was anyways agreeable, but it looks like she gets worse every day. Thursdays she tries herself hunting up jobs for me before I go out. This morning she had one of her spells. They had a quarrel at breakfast and I had to pay for it."

"Do they quarrel much?"

"Like cats and dogs. But it is her fault. She would quarrel with any man. But I would not mind how much she would quarrel with him if she would only let me alone."

"Why don't you leave?"

"I would, but I bought a new dress last week that cost me $8 with the trimmings and $7 to make it. So I must stay until I pay for it."

"What kind did you get?"

A description of the new gown was here given, together with the style of make, and the conversation then drifted into a discussion of dresses in general, and for the time being mutual trials, disagreeable mistresses and the domestic infelicity of employers were forgotten.

The arrival of the car at the destination of one of the young women interrupted the conversation and they parted with another kiss and promises to call and see each other on subsequent Thursdays.

Embarrassing All Around.

A polite, ambitious young man, a richly attired miss and a small boy loaded with bundles, created a great deal of excitement on an Olive street car the other day.

It was Saturday evening and the car was crowded. Several of the "weaker" sex were clinging to straps, gazing in no pleasant way at the men who occupied seats. Of all this the young man referred to above appeared to be unconscious. He occupied a seat in the front end of the car, with his head buried well between the pages of a newspaper and appeared to be intensely interested. Standing near him, almost hidden from view by a stack of parcels, which he held, was a small boy. The car stopped and a richly attired miss tripped lightly in. The young man glanced at her. A change came over him and he appeared to grow suddenly uncomfortable. He stretched his neck at an angle of about forty-five degrees, offering his seat. She accepted, smilingly, and he pushed forward to make room for her. But oh, horrors! She had taken but a few steps when she stopped suddenly, and actually turned her back on the young man.

The passengers tittered. The young man, in his eagerness to offer his seat and make way for the flashily attired miss, did not observe that the boy with the bundles had filled the spot vacated by him. He no doubt thought he was being ridiculed and grew haughty.

"Well, if you do not wish to sit down," said he, "I will resume my seat."

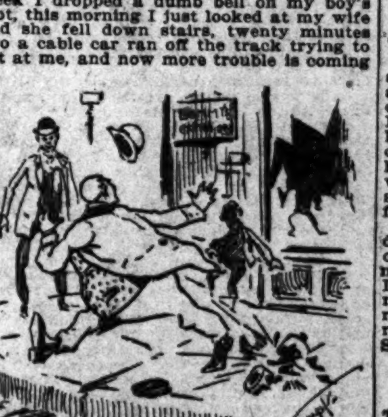
He did not turn around and walk straight back, as he should have done, however. He sort of shuffled his way there and let himself drop. There was a scattering of bundles, a smothering cry and a roar of laughter from the passengers. The young man jumped up; he was sorry it had happened, he said. Then the truth of the whole affair dawned on his mind. He beckoned the conductor to stop the car and jumped off. The small boy recovered and rearranged his parcels. He was jubilant.

"I guess I got more right to this seat than that gal; I got on long before she did," said he, and the young miss, the cause of the trouble, remained standing.

They're After McManus.

George McManus, the manager of the Grand Opera House, was standing in front of the St. James Hotel the other afternoon when, smash! a big apollinaris bottle whizzed by his ear from a window above and broke into a thousand pieces.

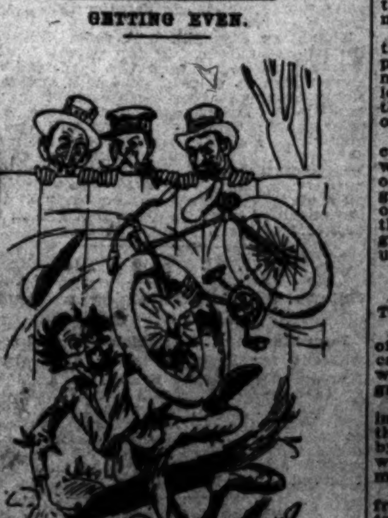
"They're after me. They're after me," he muttered in a stage whisper as he landed his 216 pounds out in the gutter. "Last week I dropped a dumb bell on my boy's foot, this morning I just looked at my wife and she fell down stairs, twenty minutes ago a cable car ran off the track trying to get at me, and now more trouble is coming out of the sky. I might just as well make my will and quit before something still worse happens."



And then he walked around to a little tobacco store which has the sign "Ten miles to the next cigar store" painted on a rock near by, and bought smokes for the entire crowd.

China's emperor has given Li Hung Chang his peacock feather, but what he wants is a safety bicycle.—Chicago News.

GETTING EVEN.



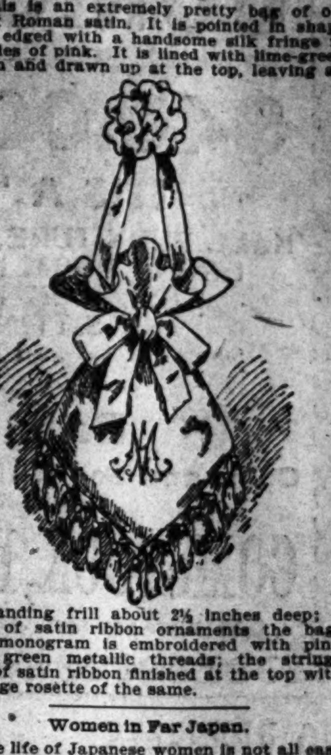
NO WONDER HIS ENEMIES ARE HAPPY; PARKHURST IS LEARNING TO RIDE A BICYCLE.

From the shop-front of a French hatter's "Latest novelty. Soft felt hats for railway collisions."—Tit-Bits.

WOMEN AND HOME

Theater Bag.

This is an extremely pretty bag of old pink Roman satin. It is pointed in shape and edged with a handsome silk fringe in shades of pink. It is lined with lime-green satin and drawn up at the top, leaving an upstanding frill about 2½ inches deep; a bow of satin ribbon ornaments the bag; the monogram is embroidered with pink and green metallic threads; the strings are of satin ribbon finished at the top with a large rosette of the same.



Women in Far Japan.

The life of Japanese women is not all ease and comfort. Before marriage her life is as careless as one of our own young girls, and the mousmes, as they are called, are extremely pretty. The married life of a Japanese woman, who generally marries very young, is a stern reality, though divorce is an easy matter. There are seven reasons for divorce, such as disobedience to her father-in-law and mother-in-law, jealousy, disturbing the harmony of kinsmen, and bringing trouble on her household by talking too much, as well as barrenness, lewdness, leprosy and stealing.

European Women Centenarians.

Mortuary tables show that the average duration of life of women in European countries is something less than that of men. Notwithstanding this fact, of the list of centenarians collected by the British Association, a fraction over two-thirds were women.

Spanish Eggs.

Rub the inside of the frying-pan with a slice of onion. Pare one tomato and cut it into bits. Put it into the frying-pan with a tablespoonful of butter and cook for five minutes. Beat six eggs well, and at the end of five minutes put them in the pan with a level teaspoonful of salt and one-fourth of a teaspoonful of pepper. Stir constantly until the eggs begin to thicken. Then pour into a hot dish and serve at once.

Broiled Codfish.

Select a piece and soak over night in cold water. Wipe it dry and broil it over clear coals for about ten minutes. Place it on a hot dish, score or gash it with a very sharp knife and spread it generously with butter. Makes a nice relish for supper if placed to soak at noon.

A Durable Floor Stain.

Take one-third turpentine and two-thirds boiled linseed oil, with a little Japanese dryer added. Buy a can of burnt sienna and blend it thoroughly with this mixture. This gives a rich reddish brown. Mix the paint quite thin, so that it will run readily. Lay it on with a good-sized brush, stroking the brush the way of the grain of the wood. Put on several coats, allowing each one to become perfectly dry. Lastly give the floor a good coat of varnish and when thoroughly dry it will be found as satisfactory as a stained floor can be and easily kept clean. The varnish gives it the appearance of polished wood. It can be kept in good condition by simply dusting and wiping off with an oily cloth.

Indian Bead Work.

"Did you know," writes the distinguished folk lorist, Miss Mary Alicia Owens, to a friend, "that the beadwork of the prairie Indians is the finest in the world? The costumes that they display during their corn dances and like festivities are really remarkable for both beauty and elegance, for many of the Indians are exceedingly rich and possess great stores of barbaric finery. I just wish you could see my collection of sashes, socks, garters, necklaces, bracelets and headbands. It's said to be one of the finest in the world. I have one very old calumet with the three sacred feathers dangling from the stem by a slender band of porcupine quills and grass. I haven't a tomahawk, I'm sorry to say. The ornamental drums and tomahawks belong to the tribes and cannot be bought."

Oranges.

Of all fruits, none excels the orange for general use at this time of year. It is an incentive to appetite, an aid to digestion and the most harmless and efficacious of complexion beautifiers. About this season we usually find oranges less expensive and perhaps most enjoyable. They should be used freely, and it is well worth while to acquaint oneself with the many delicious modes of preparing them.

Bread Meringue.

Beat the yolks of four eggs light, add gradually one cup of granulated sugar, beating all the while, and the grated rind of one lemon. Mix one pint of bread crumbs with one quart of milk, pour this on the eggs and sugar; mix well and bake in a moderate oven until stiff. When done make a meringue of the whites of two eggs and four tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar, heap on the pudding and brown in a quick oven. When using the cake crumbs use the yolks of two eggs and one-half of a cup of granulated sugar.

What Can Be Done With Salt.

Salt on the fingers when cleaning fowls, meat or fish will prevent slipping.

Salt thrown on a coal fire when broiling steak will prevent blazing from the dripping fat.

Salt as a gargle will cure soreness of the throat.

Salt in solution inhaled cures cold in the head.

Salt in water is the best thing to clean willow-ware and matting.

Salt in the oven under baking tins will prevent their scorching on the bottom.

Salt puts out a fire in the chimney.

Salt and vinegar will remove stains from discolored teacups.

Salt and soda are excellent for bee stings and spider bites.

Salt thrown on soot which has fallen on the carpet will prevent stain.

Salt put on ink when freshly spilled on a carpet will help in removing the spot.

Salt in whitewash makes it stick.

Salt thrown on a coal fire which is low will revive it.

Salt used in sweeping carpets keeps out moths.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Gambling Means Misery.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

My husband is a policeman and is in the habit of spending his afternoons at the race track gambling at least twice a week. Just as soon as he is off duty he comes home, dresses in citizen's clothes and goes to the race track and loses nearly all of his salary in this way. We have five small children. They and myself are deprived of the actual necessaries of life through my husband's gambling.

I understand that a great many of the police do likewise. I should think officers of the law would try to set a good example, instead of encouraging gambling by being present at the race track. I am sure the Chief and Police Commissioners read your valuable paper and I sincerely hope that they will see this article and reprimand all the police who gamble. It probably would prove a blessing in many a family.

A POLICEMAN'S WIFE.

St. Louis, March 14.

Are Men So Vile?

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

I feel sorry to see the unkind remarks that are published of Rev. Sam Jones. I think any wife should rejoice that her husband can attend a stag meeting, as she calls it. If a great many wives only knew it, their husbands souls are blacker than half the criminals in our State Prison—yet she upholds the husband in his sins. Any woman with a father, brother, husband or son should thank God for Sam Jones' meetings for men.

To-day the social evil question is being discussed and we should pray that all men of vice will be reached and if it is a stag meeting of Rev. Sam Jones' that reaches them I pray that Rev. Sam Jones may hold many more. As vile as men are to-day we should rejoice over any kind of a meeting that will reach them. My prayer is God bless Rev. Sam Jones' meetings in St. Louis. M. S.

St. Louis, March 18.

Does Districting Sanction Vice?

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

While I would not question the good intentions of Dr. Boyd and his coadjutors in their efforts to deal with the social evil, I call their attention and that of all good people anxious to see this evil repressed, to one cardinal mistake in that plan. The new law they have just had enacted proceeds upon the idea of establishing a "scarlet district," with a quasi sanction of the existence of the evil therein without "molestation." This quasi sanction is a fatal mistake for minister or layman of the Christian church. It is disastrous to the moral effect of the law (which I see is to-day questioned by the lawyers on an apparently well-taken point of its being obnoxious to the Constitution), and will prevent the success of the movement on that line.

In short this scheme (like others taking the form of laws to "regulate" the evil), proceeding upon a mistaken policy of recognition and implied sanction within a "scarlet district" must fail, as it can never meet the hearty indorsement of Christian public opinion.

I hope these good men will not be discouraged in their efforts, but they will do well to consider before proceeding further on this line, whether they are on sure ground and have the good men and women of this city backing them. I feel confident that that the objection here taken will be generally concurred in when the new law is understood. OBJECTOR.

If Women Voted.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Although yielding to no one in the strength of his desire for woman suffrage, the writer cannot agree with Bro. McKenzie that it would "reclaim the forfeited dignity of this great city and State."

Look around to-day! Men with the ballot in their hands are not free and, bent under the same weight of taxation, surrounded by the same oppressive barriers, women with the franchise would be no freer than men are now.

For the masses of men freedom means freedom to incessantly toil from the cradle to the grave; freedom to satisfy the coarsest animal appetites if men are strong, sober and industrious, or if they grow tired of being strong, sober and industrious, with so very little to show for their exertions, then they have the freedom to sink lower and lower until perverted charity hands them over to death.

And they drag the women down with them, ballot or no ballot.

The fate of a people is decided by its lowest and most numerous class. Rome fell because she was rotten at the foundation and she was rotten because her crop of men gave out.

Under present social conditions saloons, harlotry and kindred institutions will continue to flourish, notwithstanding any enactments of the Legislature. And it will take something stronger than woman suffrage to kill the different roots of the malignant cancer that gnaws at the body social.

St. Louis, March 13. UNCLE TOM.

Long Suffering Letter Carriers.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Several weeks ago I saw an item about the classes of men who suffer from cold, namely, the policeman, motorman and gripman, describing how they suffer. There is one class of men who suffer more than any of them and who never complain and who have to work rain or shine and go around the same as if it was spring and the streets good. The men I refer to are the letter carriers.

The motorman does not suffer [illegible] He can dress up warmly with [illegible] bearskin overcoats, where a le[illegible] can't. Take the police, for insta[illegible] can always find some place to ca[illegible] up and I see the force is increa[illegible] the increase they will have ab[illegible] licemen. Now, there are only [illegible] carriers to get over the same [illegible] 800 policemen. You will see whe[illegible] riers suffer, and goodness knows [illegible] to get over ground much bett[illegible] places which a policeman never [illegible]

St. Louis, March 14. LUKE T[illegible]

Land Monopolization.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Regarding the article on "P[illegible] the Poor," also the one "Father[illegible] Talk on the Single Tax" in last [illegible] issue, I would like to make a sug[illegible] your worthy paper asking if you [illegible] undertake the task to try the sa[illegible] ment in St. Louis and vicinity [illegible] doing in New York for the bene[illegible] poor. I am sure you will have the [illegible] support of every humanitarian. [illegible] you perhaps aware, poverty is not th[illegible] fault the poor, but is caused by our land monopolization, which prevents them fr[illegible] taking advantage of our natural opportunities. H. B.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

SUBSCRIBER.—Wilson Barrett will remain one week.

SNAP.—A party who has no lease is considered a tenant from month to month and may be evicted at any time by giving him thirty days' notice in writing. The Government license for a saloon is $25 per year. The State and city license is $300 for six months.

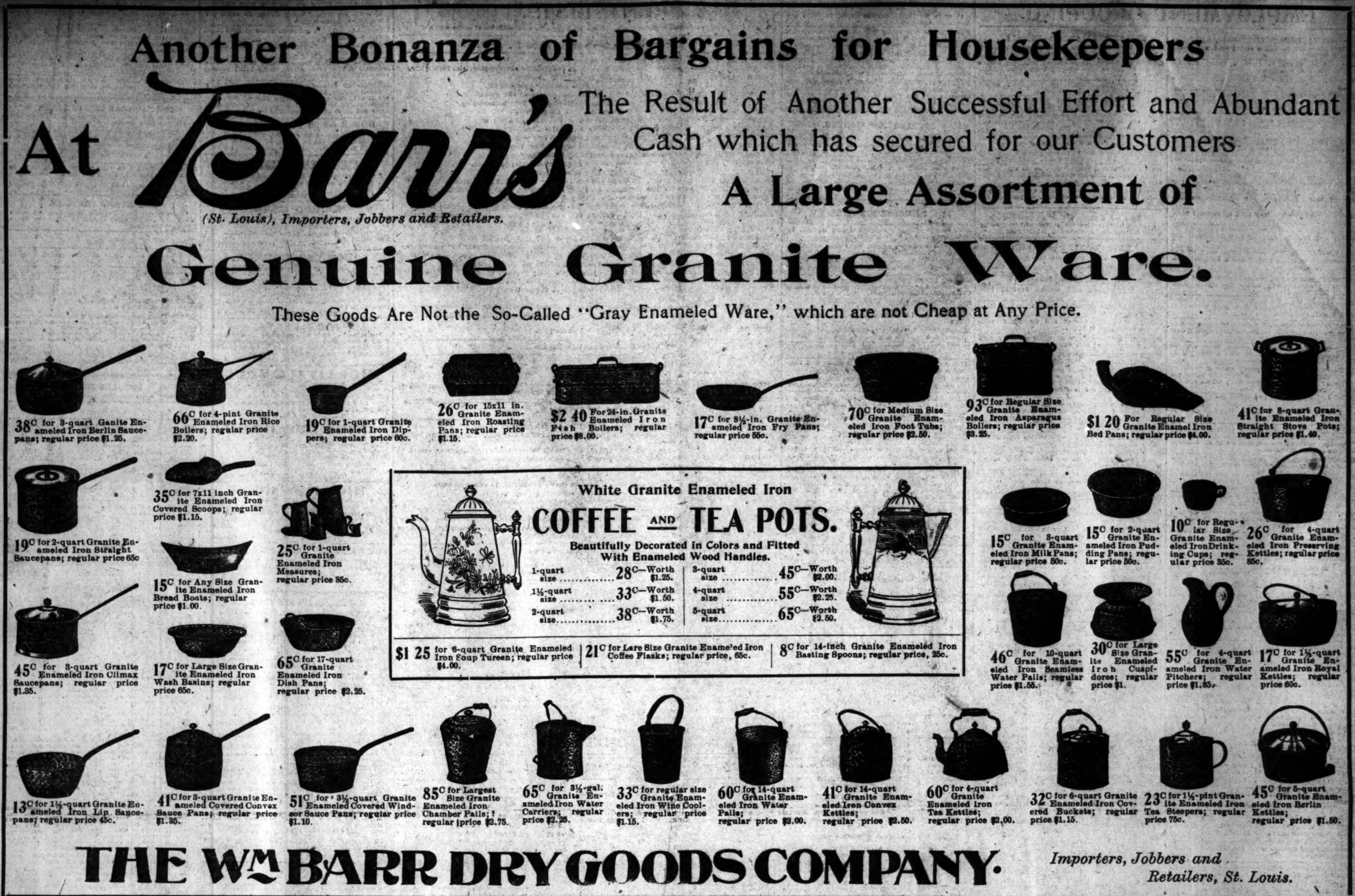
W. H.—Walking in snow-shoes is a peculiar shuffling gait in which the shoe scarcely clears the snow. A practiced snow-shoe runner can under favorable conditions make much better time than when walking on a good road. They also coast on snow shoes if the snow is not too soft.

R. G. M.—The twenty-second of February is celebrated as a legal holiday because the Legislatures of the various States have declared that it shall be so considered. The fact that some people think Washington was not born on that day cuts no figure; the men who made our laws thought differently.

CARL AND HENRY.—Your first question depends upon the purpose for which it is used. Nitric acid is the most powerful. They can not be secured without a prescription. Belladonna is used in medicine to relieve pain, to check spasms and excessive perspiration, and especially in [illegible] to dilate the pupil of the eye.

J. J. SIMPSON.—Boston leads in [illegible] and shoe industry, with St. Louis [illegible] St. Louis has the biggest tobacco [illegible] and output. St. Louis has the larg[illegible] ware firm in the United States; [illegible] largest wooden and willow ware [illegible] ment. The Auditorium is not as [illegible] the Palmer House. The latter [illegible] stories high.

X. & Y.—1. Mahomet was born [illegible] Arabia, about 570 A. D. 2. The [illegible] 3. The Goddess of Liberty statue [illegible] York Harbor was presented to Am[illegible] the French Republic. It was des[illegible] Auguste Bartholdi of Colmar, A[illegible] Italian origin. 4. Snow would [illegible] quicker on one side than the other [illegible] open field. The reason it does [illegible] is because the sun is [illegible] degrees [illegible] winter, and the south side of [illegible] does not receive its rays so much [illegible] north side.



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41c for 8-quart Granite Enameled Iron Straight Stove Pots; regular price $1.40.
19c for 2-quart Granite Enameled Iron Straight Saucepans; regular price 65c
35c for 7x11 inch Granite Enameled Iron Covered Scoops; regular price $1.15.
25c for 1-quart Granite Enameled Iron Measures; regular price 85c.
15c for Any Size Granite Enameled Iron Bread Boats; regular price $1.00.
45c for 3-quart Granite Enameled Iron Climax Saucepans; regular price $1.35.
17c for Large Size Granite Enameled Iron Wash Basins; regular price 65c.
65c for 17-quart Granite Enameled Iron Dish Pans; regular price $2.25.

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1-quart size .... 28c—Worth $1.25.
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4-quart size .... 55c—Worth $2.25.
5-quart size .... 65c—Worth $2.50.

$1 25 for 6-quart Granite Enameled Iron Soup Tureen; regular price $4.00.
21c for Lare Size Granite Enameled Iron Coffee Flasks; regular price, 65c.
8c for 14-inch Granite Enameled Iron Basting Spoons; regular price, 25c.

15c for 3-quart Granite Enameled Iron Milk Pans; regular price 50c.
15c for 2-quart Granite Enameled Iron Pudding Pans; regular price 50c.
10c for Regular Size Granite Enameled Iron Drinking Cups; regular price 35c.
26c for 4-quart Granite Enameled Iron Preserving Kettles; regular price 85c.
46c for 10-quart Granite Enameled Iron Seamless Water Pails; regular price $1.55.
30c for Large Size Granite Enameled Iron Cuspidores; regular price $1.
55c for 4-quart Granite Enameled Iron Water Pitchers; regular price $1.85.
17c for 1½-quart Granite Enameled Iron Royal Kettles; regular price 60c.
13c for 1½-quart Granite Enameled Iron Lip Saucepans; regular price 45c.
41c for 3-quart Granite Enameled Covered Convex Sauce Pans; regular price $1.35.
51c for 3½-quart Granite Enameled Covered Windsor Sauce Pans; regular price $1.10.
85c for Largest Size Granite Enameled Iron Chamber Pails; regular price $2.75.
65c for 3½-gal. Granite Enameled Iron Water Carriers; regular price $2.25.
33c for regular size Granite Enameled Iron Wine Coolers; regular price $1.15.
60c for 14-quart Granite Enameled Iron Water Pails; regular price $2.00.
41c for 14-quart Granite Enameled Iron Convex Kettles; regular price $2.50.
60c for 4-quart Granite Enameled Iron Tea Kettles; regular price $2.00.
32c for 6-quart Granite Enameled Iron Covered Buckets; regular price $1.15.
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45c for 5-quart Granite Enameled Iron Berlin Kettles; regular price $1.50.

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OBSTRUCTS A STREET.

The South Side Track Officials Fence Off Ann Avenue.

The South Side electric light race track is facing the prospect of being cut in two, and all because city officials have, apparently, neglected their plain duty.

Under an ordinance passed and approved Dec. 17, 1869, and numbered 7,087, provision was made for the opening of Ann avenue from Second Carondelet avenue to Jefferson. A little over a year later ordinance 7,520 passed—Feb. 6, 1871, is the date—appropriating funds for the damages necessary to carry ordinance 7,087 into effect. This latter ordinance was duly approved and became a law. Ann avenue was partially opened, under the provisions of the ordinances, but a stretch of about two blocks east of Missouri avenue has so far not been vacated.

To ascertain the exact state of affairs Delegate Grimley introduced in the House last Friday a resolution calling upon the Street Commissioner for information upon the matter. The resolution was adopted and the report of that official is now awaited with interest, as it is expected to show why the city's representatives have allowed a huge fence to be constructed across the street ordered constructed twenty-four years ago.

The South Side track, as it now stands, extends from north of the Ann avenue line to a point 200 feet south of it. In constructing the track its fences necessarily crossed Ann avenue at two points and it is to secure the tearing down of these two fences that Delegate Grimley's resolution was introduced.

At the office of the South Side track C. C. Spink said he and his association were not worrying over the matter. "As a matter of fact," said he, "this is the first I have heard of the subject. The people down there want us to run and I do not think any streets can be opened through our track without the consent of our landlord, who is certainly not going to injure the interests of his tenants."

Just how his landlord or any other individual is going to override the law of the city Mr. Spink did not explain.

At the office of the Street Commissioner it was stated that the obstruction of Ann avenue was permitted because no property owner made a protest, the theory apparently being that if citizens sleep on their rights, it is not the duty of officials to protect them in those rights.

Clerk Varelman, to whom Commissioner Murphy referred the reporter, generously conceded, though, that if the property-owners protested the Street Commissioner can, with the approval of the Mayor, order the City Marshal to remove the fence. The street, he said, had never been vacated, but he did not vouchsafe an explanation for the failure of successive Commissioners to carry out the plain mandates of the ordinance.

Incidentally a comparison of the damages of 1871 and what it will now cost to vacate the land will prove food for thought for taxpayers.

YOUNG LARRABEE MISSING.

Alleged His Books Do Not Balance by $20,000 to $25,000.

CHICAGO, March 19.—Christopher W. Larrabee, a nephew of ex-Gov. Larrabee of Iowa and cashier of and head accountant of Boyd, Stickney & Co., wholesale coal dealers, is missing, and, if all accounts are true, his books do not balance by $20,000 or $25,000. His employers and detectives have been looking for him since last Thursday. The American Surety Co. is on his bond for $15,000. A woman is said to be in the case.

LATEST WILL OF FAIR.

Mrs. Cravens' Story of How It Came to Be Written.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 19.—It now turns out that the reputed latest will of the late James G. Fair was left in the charge of Mrs. Nettie L. Cravens, a principal in the public schools, who was a great friend of Senator Fair. The will was written in the house of a Mrs. Haskins, with whom Mrs. Cravens was living and in the presence of both witnesses. Mrs. Cravens said it came about in this way: The Senator had gone to visit her. Their conversation turned to wills and Senator Fair said his lawyers did not seem to get his will just as he would like it. Fair made several other remarks which led Mrs. Cravens to propose that he make a new will then and there, and have her as a witness and that he make a provision in the will for a fund for the support of the school teachers who had been teaching for twenty-five years or more, to all of which the late Senator Fair agreed, and sat down and wrote the most recent document which has been presented in court.

The reason assigned for keeping the new will so long in the background is that the custodian did not look at the date of the will when Fair died, and when the old will was made public she thought it was one of later date. Gov. Budd, one of Charlie Fair's counsel, said: "Mrs. Cravens was up to Sacramento in the interest of the teachers' pension bill. I heard that she dropped a remark about legacy to the pension fund. I sent for her and after a little she told me the whole story. Mrs. Cravens was a great friend of Senator Fair, lived for years at the same hotel with him, and he was a frequent visitor at her home. He there wrote the will and gave it to her to keep."

NO FAITH IN CITY FOLKS.

Mrs. Fowler's Costly Experience With a Boarder Who Tippled.

"When I lived in the country I used to think that city folks were just the nicest kind of people," said Mrs. Mary Fowler to Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Johnson at the Four Courts Tuesday. "But since I moved here," she continued, "I've found them to be so different. They tell such awful lies."

Mr. Johnson asked her to explain and she said that she and husband came here from Charleston, Ill., three years ago, and three months ago leased the premises at 211 North Seventh street and opened a restaurant and a boarding house. Her husband, Isaac Fowler, managed the restaurant and she took charge of the boarders. This was what brought her to the Four Courts.

"We had a boarder," said she, "named Thomas G. Sullivan. When Tom came to board at our house I thought he was an awfully nice man. He was a bartender at the Morgan Club and he would drink. March 8 he came home drunk and he made a terrible disturbance. He threw a goblet through the mirror in his room, kicked holes in a couple of chairs, took his wife's clock from the mantel and stamped on it, and he raised a fuss generally. He had to go, but he wouldn't pay his bill. I told him I would tell Mr. Johnson and he said I'd better not, as Mr. Johnson was a friend of his and he would fix me if I did. But my friends advised me to see Mr. Johnson and I thought I would come, anyhow. Wasn't that right, Mr. Johnson?"

"Of course it was," said Mr. Johnson. "If he broke the furniture I'll issue a warrant for malicious destruction of property." And he did.

HARRIGAN WELL PLEASED.

He Believes the Supreme Court Decision a Just One.

As to the action of the Supreme Court in deciding that Detective Dewar and Patrolmen O'Brien and Murphy were not guilty of contempt of Judge Murphy's court, Chief of Police Harrigan said Tuesday:

"I had no doubt from the beginning that the officers would be sustained in rearresting a man who had committed a felony and who was unjustly discharged in an examining court. I am satisfied that the officers never intended any contempt of court.

"The arrest was made in discharge of their duty, outside and not in view of the court. No doubt the court was disturbed on that occasion, but not by the conduct of the officers. It was disturbed by this woman, or wife, of Wright's, as when the officers rearrested him on the landing she screamed and yelled. That attracted the attention of the crowd inside the courtroom and they rushed to the door. If there was any disturbance that caused it and not the action of the officers.

"Since the officers were committed to jail by Judge Murphy I have been fighting to have their conduct on that occasion vindicated. The action of the Supreme Court in reversing the decision rendered against these officers is no surprise to me, as I fully expect that court to undo a wrong, no matter by whom perpetrated.

"I have no personal feeling in the matter, but dislike to see my officers sent to jail for honestly performing their duty."

GETTING THE JURY.

First Steps Taken for the Trial of the Taylor Brothers.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

CARROLLTON, Mo., March 19.—The State and defense each having answered ready in the trial of Wm. P. and George E. Taylor for the Meeks' murder, the court this morning ordered a venire of 150 men from which to select the jury.

MISSOURI UNDERWRITERS.

Semi-Annual Session of the Association Opens at the Planters'.

The Association of Fire Underwriters of Missouri met in thirteenth semi-annual meeting at the Planters' Tuesday.

Members of the association assert that the matter of rates will not be taken up at the meeting except in isolated cases; for instance, of Moberly, where the waterworks are dry and where there have been several disastrous fires recently. The rates in that city will probably be raised. In several others a reduction is expected because of the recent building of waterworks.

The association has nothing to do with rates or insurance matters in the City of St. Louis. There are present about fifty members of the association, representing all parts of the State. The officers are: A. F. Bullard, President; M. L. Sears, Vice-President, and W. E. Mariner, Secretary, all of Kansas City.

England's Demand on Nicaragua.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, March 19.—The British Government, through its Minister here, has demanded of Nicaragua the payment of $15,000 as smart money to pay for the expulsion of British Consular Agent Hatch at Bluefields during the troubles there last year.

"JOHN A DREAMS."

There Is Nothing Shocking in This New Play, Says Meltzer.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 19.—The production of the four-act play by Haddon Chambers, known as "John A Dreams," dispels one more illusion.

It had been whispered that we might expect unutterable things in "John A Dreams." Beside it "Mrs. Tanqueray would appear a school girl's idyll. The crowded audience which attended the performance of the piece Monday night at the luxurious Empire Theater rather wanted to be shocked. But there was nothing in the plot or characters devised by the ingenious author of the "Idler," save a few unnecessary speeches and one realistic incident, to call the blush of shame to the most artless cheek.

Compared with many other works which have been put upon the stage of late, this "John A Dreams" is positively virtuous. It has the outward semblance of audacity. At bottom it is biblically pure. It was delightfully interpreted by Miss Elsie De Wolfe as Mrs. Wanklyn. Miss De Wolfe surprised her warmest friends by her vivacity, her humor and her unaffected easy, simple realism.

At the close of the third act—and in the final scene—Mr. Miller was decidedly effective. But at most points he was labored, forced and dull. The Kate Cloud of Miss Viola Allen was disappointing. The play has been most admirably staged, and after several scenes it was applauded generously.

MELTZER.

ALL FOR EZETA.

His Friends Conspired and Were Hanged and Shot.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 19.—Gen. Antonio Ezeta announces that a new rebellion in his interest has taken place in San Salvador. Hhe received a letter on Feb. 1 telling him that the plot had been unearthed by President Gutierrez, who had all the conspirators either hanged or shot.

HEIRS TO $300,000.

A Fortune Is Said to Be Waiting for Some One at Austin, Tex.

HAGERSTOWN, Md., March 19.—James B. Goff and sons of Austin, Tex., have written to relatives here for information of the heirs to a fortune estimated at $300,000, originating in a batch of land at Austin, Tex., granted by the Republic of Texas in 1836 to thirty-five soldiers who served in the Texas revolution.

Fell From His Wagon.

Peter Waltof, a colored teamster of 4216 Margaretha avenue, fell from his wagon at Compton and Cass avenues at 8 a. m. and broke his right leg.

Sons of the Revolution.

The Board of Managers of the Sons of the American Revolution have appointed the following Executive Committee: Gen. Geo. H. Shields, chairman; Edwin Harrison, Dr. Charles H. Hughes, Ashley Cabell, Josiah Fogg, Dr. Greenfield Shider, Gordon W. Bull.

Coughs—"Brown's Bronchial Troches" will allay the irritation which induces coughing, giving immediate relief. Sold only in boxes. Price 25 cents.

CALLED HIM HARD NAMES.

Mr. Davidson's Ferocious Attack On Col. W. H. Phelps.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 19.—Representative Davidson of Marion County arose to a question of personal privilege yesterday afternoon, and proceeded to attack Col. W. H. Phelps in one of the most savage speeches ever delivered at the State Capitol.

It seems that a St. Louis morning paper had charged that Mr. Davidson was inimical to the interests of organized labor, and that his amendment to the fellow-servant bill had been offered at the suggestion of the railroad lobby. Mr. Davidson inquired of the correspondent as to who informed him that he had introduced the amendment in the interest of the railroads, and the correspondent named Col. W. H. Phelps.

Mr. Davijdson launched out in invective of the most drastic style, called Phelps a hyena, liar, coward, sneak, and, in fact, exhausted the vocabulary of invectives. He said that Phelps and his gang, who boasted of owning eighty members of the Legislature, disgraced the capital by their presence; that they were a most baneful blight upon attempts at honest legislation; that they polluted everything and corrupted all men whom they could reach. He charged that the introduction of measures inimical to the railroads was, for the most part, concocted by the gang themselves as a piece of blackguardism to force the companies to keep them here on pay. He said anything and everything bitter and hard, and wound up by saying that he was personally responsible for every word that he had uttered, and courted resentment, and, further, that if the conduct of the gentleman in question continued, he himself would be the seeker of redress.

Never was a more savage and bitter personal attack heard upon the floor of the House. Col. Phelps was present during Mr. Davidson's attack upon him.

STATE LEGISLATURES.

Proposed Regulation of Building and Loan Associations in Illinois.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 19.—Representative Alex J. Jones of Cook introduced a bill establishing a department of banking and building and loan associations, with a commissioner at its head. His salary is to be $3,300 a year. The Auditor of Public Accounts has supervision of banks and building associations now. Private institutions are also to be examined and supervised.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 19.—Senator Bradley has introduced the police reorganization bills for New York as reformed by the Committee of Ten of the New York Chamber of Commerce. There are three of them in all; the one to reorganize the department, that divorcing the election bureau from the police department, and the general police bill. They were introduced at the earliest opportunity and with slight objection by Mr. Lexow were sent to the Committee of the Whole for consideration on Thursday.

BOSTON, Mass., March 19.—In the Senate the Committee on Railroads reported a bill providing that on and after Jan. 1, [illegible], no railroad shall use in moving traffic between points in this State any locomotive not equipped with a power driving wheel brake and appliances for operating the train brake system, or run any train which has not a sufficient number of cars so equipped with power as to enable the engineer to regulate it. On and after Jan. 1, [illegible], no cars shall be handled without being equipped with automatic couplers which can be worked without going between cars. The bill is suggested by the Railroad Commissioners.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 19.—At the end of the fifth day after the adjournment of the Legislature all bills received by the Governor at the close of the session must be returned to the office of the Secretary of State to be filed.

During the riot on the closing night, the custodian bill which caused the trouble disappeared. Gov. Matthews could not return it to the Secretary with the other bills and in an official statement giving his account of the riot, attempted to file his reasons with the Republican Secretary. That official refused to accept it, fearing that it would affect litigation which will grow out of the complication. The statement was accompanied by the veto of the bill.

WAHLBARG ALL RIGHT.

The United States Will Not Prosecute Her Captain.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 19.—The charges against the schooner H. C. Wahlbarg, made by the Hawaiian Government, are untenable, to the disappointment of the Hawaiian Government officials, who were confident the United States would prosecute the captain and seize the vessel on the evidence adduced.

A charge of perjury will not lie against Capt. Martin, according to United States Attorney Foote, and according to the decision of the United States District Judge Ross in the Itata case there was no breach of the neutrality laws.

The Wahlburg cleared on a sea otter hunting cruise, and in his manifest Capt. Martin said he had eight repeating rifles and the necessary ammunition on board. In his affidavit he promised to inform the Collector if any additional arms or cargo were taken aboard on the first opportunity. He took the rifles and ammunition aboard at Sausalito and immediately sailed. The cargo was discharged into a small steamer off the Island of Molokai, and the Wahlburg came back to California. She was not in port from the time she left San Francisco until she reached San Diego, and there has been no breach of customs laws. The schooner will now be released and turned over to her owners.

Struck With a Bolt.

At 6:30 a. m. George Brown was struck by Richard Lambert with an iron bolt on the head, in the rear of 211 South Seventh street. Brown received several scalp wounds. Both were arrested.

AT REDUCED RATES.

Warren F. Thompson, Convicted In Chicago, Was Selling Heiresses.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 19.—Warren F. Thompson, the matrimonial agent, who claims to be able to supply wives of dazzling beauty and unlimited wealth, was convicted in the United States court here yesterday of using the mails to defraud. He is the publisher of the matrimonial paper Heart and Hand, and got himself into trouble by advertising heiresses at 25 cents apiece, three for 50 cents. Last January, Thompson advertised to sell the addresses of six beautiful heiresses, some widows and some maidens at the above terms and the prosecution alleges he has been receiving several bushels of mail a day since. His arrest and conviction resulted. Pending the hearing of a motion for a new trial, sentence was withheld.

MAKING GOOD ROADS.

Special Agent Stone on the Use of Wide Wagon Tires.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 19.—The Department of Agriculture has issued a bulletin, compiled by Roy Stone, Special Agent in Charge of Road Inquiry, containing information concerning the use of wide tires on wagon wheels. Mr. Stone regards it of special importance in the maintenance of public highways that the vehicles used on them shall have tires of greater width than are now in general use. Extracts from the State laws respecting the width of tire to be used on vehicles are given.

The bulletin, in concluding, prints extracts from the consular reports concerning the width of tires prescribed in various foreign countries. In France, every freighting cart is said to be a road-maker. Their tires are from three to ten inches in width—usually from four to six inches. The German law prescribes that wagons for heavy loads, such as coal, brick, earth and stone, must have a width of tire at least four inches. Switzerland requires wagons to be provided with wheels having tires of a width proportional to the largest loads admissable.

Wants His Mother.

Frank Miller of Bloomington, Ill., writes to Chief Harrigan to locate his mother, Mrs. Lou Miller, who lived fomerly at 1319 Chestnut street, and lately on North Tenth street.

Those who have the most have it, as a rule, because they save the most. They're more economical. These people buy Pearline. Proof—in all stores of the better class throughout the land, you'll find the sales of Pearline far in the lead. Now, these economical people wouldn't use Pearline for their washing and cleaning, if they didn't find it to be just what we say—the most economical in every way. Would they?

Send it Back

Peddlers and some unscrupulous grocers will tell you "this is as good as" or "the same as Pearline." IT'S FALSE—Pearline is never peddled, and if your grocer sends you something in place of Pearline, be honest—send it back. 440 JAMES PYLE, New York.

EMPLOYMENT GROUPING.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALES.

Three lines (20 words), 5 cents; each additional line, 5 cents.

BOY—Of 15 wants to learn a trade. Address Tony Box, 1846 S. 12th st.

BOY—Boy of 17 wishes position of any kind; best of ref. Address C 412, this office.

BOOKKEEPER—Wanted, small set of books to keep by expert bookkeeper; refs. A1; charges moderate. Add. N 406, this office.

BARTENDER—Young man, good appearance, over six years' experience, wants position in or out of city; will work for moderate wages to start. Edward Linn, 211 Lafayette st., Jefferson City, Mo.

CLERK—Situation wanted as night clerk or watchman by man of 49; careful, painstaking; served through the war; excellent reference as to character. Address T 411, this office.

DRIVER—Wanted, situation by driver; understands care of horses and well acquainted with city; or other work; good ref. Add. W 412, this office.

FIREMAN—Wanted, situation by first-class fireman. Ad. F 413, this office.

MAN—Wanted, work of any kind by married man. Add. H 396, this office.

MAN—Situation wanted by a German; understands horses and housework; good driver. Sachse, 306 Ware av.

MAN—Young man (25) wants office work or any responsible position; steady and a hustler. Add. L 411, this office.

MAN—Situation wanted of any kind by young man; store or office work; salary no object. Add. F. K., 3150 Iowa av.

MAN—Young man, 25 years old, wants employment of some kind; can give good references. Add. E 402, this office.

MEAT-CUTTER—Wanted, position by young man of five years' experience as meat-cutter; speaks German. Address Y 412, this office.

MAN—Wanted, situation by young, sober man as light driving of some kind; well acquainted in city. Address P 412, this office.

MAN—Wanted, work by young man; 3 years at plumbing East; can do jobbing; also some experience on new work in this city; wages not the object. Add. G 401, this office.

MAN—Situation wanted by man of 35; has had extensive experience in traveling; office and executive positions; prefers not to travel, but will do so if necessary. Add. N 413, this office.

PAINTER—Wanted, work by a practical painter; painting, glazing, graining, hardwood finishing or any other work at the business; city or country. Address L 398, this office.

SALESMAN—Situation wanted as clothing salesman; best of reference. Add. C 413, this office.

SALESMAN—Wanted, situation as city salesman or collector; have horse and buggy; bond and best of reference. Address A 413, this office.

TAILOR—Wanted, situation by good merchant-tailor cutter. G. Block, 1714 S. Broadway.

WATCHMAN—Wanted, position as night watchman by married man; would like to get steady job. Add. E 392, this office.

WIREMAN—A good inside wireman wants a position at wiring or a place to learn armature winding. Add. D 395, this office.

HELP WANTED—MALES.

5 cents per line each insertion.

BOY WANTED—Boy; $3 per week. 1510 and 1512 N. 9th st.

BUGGY WASHER WANTED—At s. w. cor. 12th and Locust sts.

BOYS WANTED—10 neat boys at once. Apply newstand, Union Station.

CLOTHING PACKER WANTED—Experienced clothing packer. I. Harris, 813 Washington av.

FREE treatment for all diseases at Franklin Avenue Free Dispensary, 1214 Franklin av.

FREE treatment for private blood and skin diseases at General Dispensary, 1434 Franklin av.

HARNESSMAKER WANTED—1 good harnessmaker at once. H. M. Krein, Teutopolis, Ill.

LABORER WANTED—Bricklayer's laborer wanted; call on job Union pl., between Union and Arlington avs., north of Easton.

MEN WANTED—Two men to sell furniture polish. 218 N. 14th st.

MEAT CUTTER WANTED—Meat cutter at once. Apply 3075 Easton av., upstairs.

MEN WANTED—Men and teams wanted on Page av., west of King's highway. J. J. Smith.

MAN WANTED—Promoter or broker with large acquaintance, to dispose of an established business in St. Louis; the leading one of its line. Address D 413, this office.

NOBBY PANTS—To order, $3 up; stylish suits to order, $12 up; perfect fit guaranteed. 508 Walnut.

PAINTER WANTED—First-class carriage painter; none other need apply. 4422 Easton av.

QUARRYMEN WANTED—Quarrymen and laborers ta Grand and Laclede avs. Fruin-Bambrick Construction Co.

SHOEMAKER WANTED—First-class custom shoemaker. McGillicuddy, 904 N. High st.

SALESMEN WANTED—Salesmen to handle Lightning Furniture Polish. Call 623 Pine st.

SHOEMAKERS WANTED—Good McKay operator. Blasland-Parcels-Jordan Shoe Co., 214 Chestnut.

SHOEMAKER WANTED—An experienced cutter on ladies' fine shoes. E. Morris & Son, 242 Biddle.

SALESMEN WANTED—In every county to handle first-class line; salary and commission; ref. req. Add. B. T. Calvert, Eighth and Locust sts., Philadelphia, Pa.

SALESMEN WANTED—Traveling salesmen to sell aluminum-coated pens to banks, County officers, lawyers, doctors, real estate agents, etc.; liberal salary to energetic men. Address Dexter Pen Co., Sedalia, Mo.

SALESLADIES WANTED—Salesladies in muslin underwear department; must speak German and have experience; references required. Globe, 7th and Franklin av.

TEAMS WANTED—30 teams at 21st and Morgan st.; 3 months' work. John A. Lynch.

TEAMS WANTED—Ten teams at 11th and Franklin av. to-morrow morning. Q. A. Balch.

TEAMS WANTED—Ten teams, 5 men, Wednesday morning; Jefferson and Adams. M. Nolan.

TAILOR WANTED—Custom cutter for merchant tailor establishment. Add. T 412, this office.

TAILORS WANTED—To work on custom coats. M. Saul, northeast corner 4th and Washington av.

TEAMS WANTED—Wednesday morning, 5 teams at 28th and Chestnut sts.; 30c load. Jean Jameton, F. and granitoid contractor.

WHITENERS WANTED—Whiteners, good brush and trowel hands at once at 511 Elm st. R. M. Whelan.

WANTED—For the U. S. Army, able-bodied unmarried men, between the ages of 21 and 30, of good moral character and temperate habits. For information apply in person or by letter to Recruiting Officer, 311½ N. 7th st., St. Louis, Mo.

$3.00 UP—Pants to order. Meritz Tailoring Co., 219 N. 8th st., cor. Olive, 2d floor.

$12.50 UP—Suits and overcoats to order. Meritz Tailoring Co., 8th and Olive.

MEN AND BOYS WANTED.

Active men and boys can earn $3.50 per week selling the Post-Dispatch on the streets in the business center of St. Louis; an established and independent trade assured. Apply to C. B. Gaunt, Superintendent of Circulation, Post-Dispatch.

HAYWARD'S SHORT-hand and Business College, 702, 704 and 706 Olive st.; day and night school. Phone 479.

RUBICAM SHORTHAND COLLEGE, 701-2-3 Union Trust Building, Seventh and Olive sts. We qualify our graduates for the best paying positions; thorough course by mail.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

Three lines (20 words), 5 cents; each additional line, 5 cents.

COOK—First-class cook wishes situation. 2221 Lucas av.

COOK—Situation wanted by good cook. 2126 Franklin av.

COOK—First-class cook wishes situation and do small washing. 2221 Lucas av.

COOK—Situation wanted by a good cook; best of references. Call or add. 2325 N. 15th st.

COOK—Wanted, situation by colored woman as cook, with child 6 years old. 3211 Laclede av.

COOK—Colored woman wishes situation; is a good cook; where she can go home at night; send postal. 21 S. 14th st.

COOK—Lady from the country wants a place to work; cook or housework; colored; a first-class woman. 918 N. 11th st.

DRESSMAKER—Wants work with dressmaker to sew. Add. R 409, this office.

DRESSMAKER—Dressmaker wants position to sew; 85c per day. Address 2625 S. 11th st.

DRESSMAKER—A No. 1 dressmaker wants few more engagements in families; perfect fit and style. Add. G 413, this office.

HOUSEGIRL—General housework and not too heavy washing. S. e. cor. 22d and Morgan; $16.

HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation doing housework, washing and ironing. 2220 Wash st.

HOUSEMAID—Situation wanted as housemaid by young woman. Call or address 9 S. 16th st.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted by young woman as housegirl or general housework in small family. Call 2234 N. 14th st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

Three lines (20 words), 5 cents; each additional line, 5 cents.

LAUNDRESS—First-class colored laundress wishes work by day or take washing home; send postal. 21 S. 14th st.

NURSE—Wanted, position by competent infant nurse. Address G 412, this office.

NURSE—Refined young lady wishes position as nurse to travel. Address L 413, this office.

NURSE—A young and well-educated lady desires position as "lady nurse" to one or two children; best of refs. given. Box 492, Rolla, Mo.

STENOGRAPHER—Stenographer wants position; salary $5. Address P 401, this office.

SEAMSTRESS—A few more engagements to go out or take sewing home; $1 per day. 1516 Spring av.

WOMAN—Colored woman wants to go out by the day, washing, ironing, house cleaning. 2103 Morgan st.

WOMAN—A young woman wishes a place for general housework; city or country; no postals. 813 N. 23d st.

STOVE REPAIRS.

Castings and repairs for stoves and ranges of every description. J. Forshaw, 111 N. 12th st.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

5 cents per line each insertion.

BINDERY GIRLS WANTED—Experienced bindery girls for folding. Apply at once. Samuel F. Myerson Printing Co., 3d and Vine sts.

COOK WANTED—A cook wanted at 3107 Pine street.

COOK WANTED—A girl to cook, wash and iron. 1303 Grattan st.

COOK WANTED—A cook and housegirl, with reference. 1018 S. 8th st.

COOK WANTED—Two young white girls for cook and housework at 5447 Cabanne place.

COOK WANTED—Good girl for cook and to do general housework. 1428 Mississippi av.

COOK WANTED—A good girl to cook, wash and iron in family of 4; housegirl employed; good wages to right party. 4389 Forest Park boulevard; take Laclede av. car to Newstead and walk one block south.

COOK WANTED—Experienced cook in private family; German or Swede. 4261 Washington av.

DRESSMAKERS WANTED—Good, experienced dressmakers. 1025 N. 8th st.

DRESSMAKER WANTED—First-class dressmaker. Call at once. 3007 Laclede av.

FINISHERS WANTED—Finishers and buttonhole makers to work on custom coats. Apply at 202 N. 8th st., room 7, third floor.

CUTTER—First-class experienced cutter to cut colored shirts for fine retail trade. Add. O 411, this office.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Dishwasher in restaurant. 1115 N. 3d st.

GIRL WANTED—Good girl; German preferred. 2916 Pine st.

GIRL WANTED—Girl to learn to sock buttonholes. Apply 1104 N. 9th st.

GIRL WANTED—Girl about 14; no washing; good home; country girl preferred. 5055 Ridge av.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls on custom shirts; steady work. F. A. Steer F. G. Co., 215 N. Broadway.

GIRL WANTED—Girl with some experience on shirts to examine shirts in factory. 205 N. Broadway.

GIRLS WANTED—On duck coats; steady work all season. Jokerst & St. Gem Mfg. Co., 22d and Chestnut sts.

GIRL WANTED—A girl with experience in trimming sailor hats. Apply n. e. cor. Franklin av. and 6th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Two good German girls in family of three; one to cook, wash and iron, and the other to do housework; good wages. 3871 Wash st.

GIRLS WANTED—Two reliable German girls; one to cook and do housework, the other to assist with housework and help in taking care of young baby; refs. req. 3333 Lucas av.

GOVERNESS WANTED—Woman, not over 45, to take care of smal children; must be well educated and refined; good home and good wages to right person. Apply by letter N 412, this office.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2103 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3728E Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl to do general housework. 1608 Wash st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2673 Lucas av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 2404 Cass av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl to do general housework. 2617 Lafayette av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl to do general housework. Apply at 4400 N. 20th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework. Apply A. Aal, 2729 Dickson st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A young girl to assist in housework. 2001 E. Grand av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl, 14 or 16, to help around the house. 1010 Barton st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A small girl to do housework; $5 per month. 3234 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 4257 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl from 15 to 16; white preferred. 1105 Chestnut st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A first-class girl for general housework. 1202 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework at 2831 Gamble st.; small family.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl to do general housework; small family. 6018 Horton place.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for housework; no washing or ironing. 4614 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework; small family. 3841 Windsor place.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist in general housework. 3609A Cozzens av.; call at once.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl to do general housework; must be good cook. 4444 Laclede av.

HOUSEGIRLS WANTED—Two girls to cook and do housework; bring references. 1411 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL—Young girl wants situation for housework or taking care of children. 3112 Hickory st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl to do general housework; small family; good wages. 717 Whittier st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; every convenience. 1389 Granville pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; good wages to right party. 3828 Cook av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 2730½ Clark av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White girl for general housework; must be well recommended. 2812 Lucas av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for housework; no washing. 4614 Olive st., one block west of Taylor av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl to do general housework; immediately. 2262 S. Jefferson av.; German preferred.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework in small family; German preferred. 3333 Chestnut st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl for light housework; sleep at home; call after 7 p. m. 1912 N. Grand av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Situation wanted by young widow lady as housekeeper in small hotel. Call or address 9 S. 16th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl to assist in general housework; good wages; call to-day and to-morrow. 1448 N. 19th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework; small family; call Tuesday and Wednesday. 7 N. Garrison av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework; family of 3; in suburbs; no washing; wages $16. Call Wednesday, 11 to 4, at 4067 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework; small family. Take Franklin av. electric car to 5400 and inquire at 1498 Stewart place.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for general housework. 2432 Dickson st.

NURSEGIRL—Wanted, situation by young girl as nursegirl or errand girl, age 15. Call at 741 S. 3d st.; no postals answered. Maggie Morris.

NURSE—Wanted, situation by lady, experienced; middle-aged, nurse lady in confinement, go home at night; light housework; $1 per day. Add. K 413, this office.

SHIRTMAKERS WANTED—Steady work. Jokerst & St. Gem Mfg. Co., 22d and Chestnut sts.

SALESLADY WANTED—Experienced saleslady; must speak German. 811 Manchester.

SHIRT-MAKERS WANTED—First-class shirt-makers. Chott Custom Shirt Co., 816 Pine st.

SHIRT OPERATORS WANTED—Ten first-class shirt operators; only expert ones need apply. Shirt factory, 408 N. 3d st.

WOMAN WANTED—Woman to do washing. 2839 Olive st.

WOMAN WANTED—Experienced woman for general housework; small family; good wages. 1830 Victor st.

EDUCATIONAL.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 Cents per agate line each insertion.

PUPILS—Wanted, some more pupils for cheap German lessons on piano. Add. X 412, this office.

PERSONALS.

15 cents per line; Business Cards, 20 cents per line each insertion.

PERSONAL—Will young lady on Tower Grove car, March 18, 2:30 p. m., address gentleman who got off at 12th and Spruce sts. Add. R 412, this office.

PERSONAL—Will lady who sat next to gentleman at theater Sunday evening and quietly reciprocated his attentions, make appointment or send address in strictest confidence to R 411, this office?

PERSONAL—Will lady who, with young girl, visited the Post-office Saturday about 5 o'clock and noticed gentleman while waiting for car on 8th and Olive, and who left car at 22d and walked north, please address, in confidence, K 412, this office?

INFORMATION WANTED.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

INFORMATION WANTED—Address of Miss Alice Shannon. Address H 412, this office.

INFORMATION WANTED—$100 reward will be paid for the recovery of the body of Mrs. Ledford of 1919 Gratiot st., who disappeared on the 13th inst.

PERSONAL SUNDRIES.

ALL chronic ailments cured, the new method, by magnetic healer, 1600 Pine st.

ALL private matters treated free, male or female. Medicine furnished. D. Medical Co., 107 N. 9th.

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DR. MARY ARTHUR, experienced ladies' physician; board during confinement; diseases of women a specialty; consultation free. 2612 Wash st.

DR. ANNA NEWLAND, ladies' physician and midwife; treats and cures female troubles; board dur. con. Ladies in troub. call or write. 29 S. 14th st.

MRS. THOMAN, 1410 Olive st., electric treatment; hours, 9 a. m. to 8 p. m.

MME. ANNA, the fortune teller of the West, 326 Market st., near 4th; established 1851.

MRS. S. FRANCIS gives baths, massage and magnetic treatment. 1005½ N. Broadway.

MRS. H. BAMBERGER, midwife; rec. dur. con.; ladies in trouble call or write. 919 Chouteau av.

MME. BARTHOLOMEW'S massage treatment and massage bath are highly recommended. 109 S. 14th st.

MRS. L. HOTSON receives during confinement; treats irregularities; satisfaction guaranteed; honest dealing; information free; experience in all cases; ladies in trouble call. 1808 Washington av.

PROF. CHAS. GORMAN, trance and business medium, magnetic healer; satisfaction guaranteed. 1628 Pine st.

2,000 UNREDEEMED gold and silver watches, 2,000 rings, 1,000 clocks and large quantities of gold and silver chains, bracelets, jewelry, etc. For sale cheap at Dunn's Loan Office, 918 Franklin av.

PARKS & CLEVELAND, DENTISTS,
904 Olive Street. Room 9.

PENSIONS! PATENTS!
Advice free. H. D. O'Brien, 421 Chestnut, St. Louis.

Ladies' Special Physician.
Treats all diseases and irregularities. Ladies in trouble call or write, Dr. Merwin, 1113 Washington av.

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All operations on the teeth performed in the best manner at moderate prices.
Odontunder or Nitrous Oxide Gas for Extracting.

AGENTS WANTED.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

AGENTS, organizers, lodge officers write for particulars; best fraternal insurance plan; big pay. S. Rothblum, 181 Tremont st., Boston, Mass.

Woman's Best Friend. Safe, Pleasant, Reliable. Gives Health, Beauty, Long Life. Free from pain. Circular free. Petit Pat. Battery Co. St. Louis, Mo.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

FURNITURE—For sale, cherry bedroom set, mattress and springs; price $12. 2508 N. 22d st.

FOLDING-BED—For sale, 1 handsome oak folding-bed, mattress, spring and pillows, $35. 4126A Finney av.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 Cents per agate line each insertion.

CANNING FACTORY—$1,000 will be given to any responsible party who will erect a $5,000 canning factory plant, or $2,000 bonus for a $10,000 plant; money ready when factory is completed. For further particulars address (within 20 days) Advance, Sheridan, Mo.

BUSINESS WANTED.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

BUSINESS—Wanted, to buy good paying business for $800 to $1,000 cash down. B 413, this office.

BUSINESS FOR SALE.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

MEAT MARKET—For sale, a nice meat market; cheap. 213 Soulard st.

MERCANTILE BUSINESS—For sale, new house, new goods; in Southern Illinois fruit belt. Add. H 406, this office.

PAPER ROUTE—For sale, good paper route on Globe-Democrat; centrally located. 2347 Adams st.

PRINTING OFFICE—For sale, interest in printing office doing good business; $300 cash required. Address Y 411, this office.

RESTAURANT—For sale, complete outfit of restaurant; $150 if sold at once; also counter show cases, wall cases, suitable for millinery. 2014 Lucas place.

STORE—For sale, gents' furnishing goods store; invoice $1,600; fine location. Ad. B 413, this office.

TAILOR SHOP—For sale, tailor shop, cleaning and repairing; good stand; very cheap. Address S 412, this office.

PARTNERS WANTED.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

PARTNER WANTED—A practical cigar-maker, with $250, as partner in retail cigar store; a good chance. Address N 398, this office.

MUSICAL.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

LADIES—Wanted, ladies having fair knowledge piano music easily earn $2 to $3 daily. Call on J. C. Rollins, 1707 Olive st., Wednesday and Thursday, 9:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

PIANO PLAYER wants position. Add. X 412, this office.

PIANOS—Elegant second-hand square and upright pianos at rare bargains. Estey & Camp, 916 Olive st.

PIANO-PLAYER WANTED—One who plays other instruments preferred and a good singer, to travel. Call Joe Bennett, St. James Hotel.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

DOG—Wanted, to buy a black and tan dog; who has one? state price and address S 411, this office.

MONEY WANTED.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

MONEY—Wanted, to borrow $100 on A1 security. Address B 412, this office.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

BOOK-CASE—For sale, roll-top secretary book-case; good order; also French opera-glass. 2646 Olive.

GOAT—For sale, a well-trained goat, with sulky and harness; price $10. Apply 129 Krauss st., Carondelet.

SEWING MACHINES from $7 to $15, all in perfect order, at Dunn's Loan Office, 912 Franklin av.

RENT LISTS.

ONE LINE (double column), fourteen words, 10 cents; 5 cents for each addition of seven words.

ROOMS FOR RENT.

BROADWAY, 729 S.—Furnished front room for one or two gents.
CHOUTEAU AV., 944—Two nicely furnished front rooms complete for housekeeping; also back, $1.50.
CENTER ST., 102—4 rooms for colored. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
CARR ST., 1625—Nicely furnished front room, first floor, for light housekeeping.
CHESTNUT ST., 2740—Newly furnished light front room for one or two gents.
CHESTNUT ST., 2007—Two nicely furnished parlors; also room for light housekeeping.
EASTON AV., 3025—Two unfurnished front rooms; rent $9 per month.
GRATIOT, 1524—2 rooms for colored, $8.50. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
HENRIETTA ST., 3127—3 nice rooms, $10. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
JEFFERSON AV., 302 S.—Two rooms, second floor; front and rear entrance.
LUCAS AV., 2704—Neatly furnished room for housekeeping; 2d floor; very reasonable.
MORGAN ST., 1804—Nicely furnished front room for light housekeeping or gents.
OLIVE ST., 2331—Two sunny front rooms; second floor; in good order; $12 month.
OLIVE ST., 3565—Second-story front or back room; private family.
OREGON AV., 1817—4 nice rooms, hot water and bath. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
PINE ST., 1125—Furnished rooms for gents, $1, $1.25; housekeeping, $2.50 week; 25c day.
ST. FERDINAND AV., 3906—3 nice rooms; $9. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
SARAH ST., 619 (bet. Washington av. and Delmar)—Two fine rooms; board optional; private family.
SOUTH REBER PLACE, 4976 AND 4976A—4 rooms, bath and laundry, hot and cold water; house open Sundays.
STODDARD, 2736—One or two furnished rooms for light housekeeping.
TARGEE ST., 7—6 rooms, hall, bath, for colored. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
WASHINGTON AV., 1217—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences; terms moderate.
WASH ST., 1803—Nicely furnished rooms; more than one; conv. for light housekeeping; low prices.
WASHINGTON AV., 1013—Nicely fur. front rooms, $2 and $2.50 per week; other rooms.
9TH ST., 103 N.—Nine rooms, hall and bath. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
11TH ST., 402 N.—10 rooms on 2d and 3d floors. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
11TH ST., 706 N.—2 rooms for colored. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
13TH ST., 1031 S.—Three rooms with bath.
16TH and OLIVE STS. (northeast corner)—Second story front room, furnished for light housekeeping.
15TH ST., 922 N.—Front room, newly fur.; gents or housekeeping; bet. Carr Park and Franklin av.; all conveniences.
19TH ST., 919 N.—Furnished rooms; also for light housekeeping.

Miscellaneous.

ROOMS—Three pleasant ground floor rooms, large grounds, with use of barn, pasture and garden; grapes and other fruits; within easy reach of three car lines. J. E. Mitchell, Grand av. and Pestalozzi st.

THE ERICSSON, 2608 Locust. Apartments for gentlemen, furnished or unfurnished, with or without bath attached. W. C. McCreery, Security Building.

BOARDING.

CHESTNUT ST., 2015—Second-story front room, with board; references exchanged.
CHESTNUT ST., 2738—Handsomely furnished front room, with every convenience, fire, gas, hot bath, and first-class table.
DOLMAN ST., 1026—Large, pleasant 2d-story front, with board; private family; gentlemen or couple.
DAYTON ST., 2049—Nicely furnished 2d-story front room with board; also day board.
FINNEY AV., 3653—Nicely furnished rooms; first-class board; furnace; hot bath; fine locality.
LUCAS AV., 3315—Boarders wanted; 2d-story front and other rooms.
LUCAS AV., 2927—A beautiful room, with first-class board, reasonable, to two gentlemen.
LOCUST ST., 2113—Nicely furnished rooms; first-class board.
LOCUST ST., 1612—Nicely furnished or unfurnished rooms, with or without board.
LINDELL AV., 3528—Elegantly furnished rooms; board; first-class; hot baths; refs. exchanged.
PINE ST., 2722—Second-story front; well furnished; choice table; first-class attention; reduced rates.
11TH ST., 1504A S.—One fur. front room with board, $3.50 per week; nice neighborhood; priv. family.
10TH ST., 1125 S.—Newly furnished rooms, with or without board.

Miscellaneous.

ROOM—A couple having spare room would like gent and wife or two ladies to room, with or without board; refs. exchanged. Address Mrs. L., West End Post-office.

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

DINING ROOM—Wanted, to rent dining room and kitchen in some good boarding house. Address A 412, this office.
HOUSE—Wanted, house of 5 or 6 rooms, all conveniences; convenient to Lindell Railway; not to exceed $20. Address E 413, this office.
ROOM—Wanted by two respectable young ladies unfurnished front room; central location preferred; state terms. Ad. O 412, this office.
ROOM—Wanted, select transient desires room in quiet locality. Add. O 413, this office.
ROOMS—Wanted, to rent 3 rooms; state location and price. Address E 412, this office.

BOARD AND LODGING WANTED.

ROOMS—Wanted, two unfur. rooms with board for middle-aged couple; private German family; near 4th st. cable or Carondelet cars. Address L 412, this office.
ROOM—Room and board by gentleman and wife; table must be good; in private family or few other boarders; terms not to exceed $40 per month; West Side preferred. Add. P 413, this office.
ROOM—Wanted, by gentleman and wife, nicely furnished room and board, with no other boarders, in West End. Address M 413, this office.
ROOM—Wanted, by young gentleman, board and room in strictly private family; state terms; must be reasonable; West End. Address H 413, this office.

TO LET FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES.

BROADWAY, 1702 S.—A large, spacy store, adjoining furniture store, at reasonable rent.
CHESTNUT ST., 1111—Nice store, suitable for real-estate office. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
MARKET ST., 2101—Nice large store. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
PINE ST., 613-615—Nice offices in suites of 2 and 4 rooms; steam heat.
PINE ST., 516—Large store; best locality on Pine st. Chas. H. Bailey, 304 N. 7th st.
PINE ST., 615—Nice large store with steam heat. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
ROOMS—In building, 514 Pine st., for business purposes only, from $5 to $10 each, according to location. Chas. H. Bailey, 304 N. 7th st.
WASHINGTON AV., 1515—Doctor's office; established 20 years.
6TH ST., 113 N.—Large, new store. Apply at 115 N. 6th st.
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11TH ST., 700-702 N.—Large store. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
11TH ST., 706 N.—Nice store, suitable for lunch counter. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
LOCUST ST., 123—Large store and 3 floors above. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
LACLEDE, 2624—Nice store. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
11TH ST., 1100 N.—Cor. Carr—Nice store. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
VICTOR, 1229—Cor. 13th—Nice large store. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
LINDELL, 3408—Large store. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.

FLATS FOR RENT.

ARSENAL ST., 1004—4 and 3-room flats on 1st and 2d floors; will rent cheap to good tenant. Apply 933 Wyoming st.
COMPTON AV., 4136 S.—Four rooms and hall, bath and closet; up or downstairs; rent cheap.
JONES ST., 1215—New 6-room flat; $35 a month.
LACLEDE, 3842—4-room flat, bath and w. c.; $16. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
MARKET ST., 2103—Four-room flat, $18. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
MISSISSIPPI AV., 1754—Nice 4-room flat, with bath. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
MORGAN ST., 3111 AND 3117—Five rooms, bath and laundry, southern exposure; $30. Fisher & Co., 714 Chestnut st.
OREGON, 2139—4 rooms, hall, bath, hot water. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
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ONLY ONE LEFT—Best four-room flat in the West End; four rooms, bath, hot and cold, gas; very attractive. 901 Walton av.; Suburban or Lindell cars.
PAPIN ST., 1806, 1812, 1820, 1822 and 1826—Flats; new houses; 5 to 7 rooms each; rent moderate.
11TH ST., 4112 N.—Flat of 4 rooms; gas and attic; upstairs; $12.50.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR RENT.

HOUSE—Fine property for rent at Selma Station, Frisco R. R.; 7-room house, modern conveniences, bath, etc., porches, grape and flowering vines, fruit and ornamental trees and asparagus beds, ten-acre lot, barn, chicken-house, man's room, etc. Apply to Haydel & Son, 109 N. 7th st.

DWELLINGS FOR RENT.

ADAMS ST., 2824—8 rooms, bath, laundry, cellar and large yard; rent low. M. Dougherty, 1200 Pine st.
BACON ST., 2741—Brick cottage, 4 rooms, hall, laundry, summer kitchen, gas, bath, stable, side entrance, lawn; house open; rent $18.
COOK AV., 3685—Modern brick dwelling; eight rooms, screens, shades and hose; $45.
DELMAR AV., 4100—Nice corner, 8 rooms; furnace; $45. Key at 4106.
DELMAR AV., 3820—A handsome 8-room house, modern conveniences; screens provided; rent $55; renter can purchase gas fixtures, range, carpets, shades and two bed-room suites.
GRAND AV., 4125 N.—Two-story stone-front house, 7 rooms and bath, with large side and back yard and large stable. Keys next door.
LEFFINGWELL AV., 202 S.—Six-room house, hall, gas, bath; in best order; reduced to $22; key in drug store, 28th and Washington.
MORGAN, 4112—12 rooms, hall, bath, furnace, large yard. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
MONTROSE, 319—7 rooms, hall, bath, gas. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
PAGE, 3912—8 rooms, hall, bath, large yard. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
PINE, 1126—12-room house in best of order. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
PINE ST., 1614—10 rooms, hall, bath. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
PINE ST., 1303—12-room house in good repair; low rent. Samuel Bowman, 7th and Chestnut sts.
SHAW AV., 4537—New brick cottage of 3 large rooms. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.
SHERIDAN AV., 2615—Nice 5-room cottage for colored. Keeley & Co., 1113 Chestnut st.

FOR RENT—DWELLINGS.

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FOR RENT
—BY—
J. E. KAIME & BRO.,
House and Real Estate Agents,
619 Chestnut Street.

3305 Morgan st., 9-room stone-front house, with hall, gas, bath, etc.; $40 per month.
1524 Cora place, 7-room 2-story brick house, hall, gas, bath and furnace; $25 per month.
2624 Gamble st., stone-front house, hall, gas and bath, 8 rooms; $30 per month.
2918 N. 9th st., 6-room brick house, hall, gas and bath; $20 per month.

ALL SORTS.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

ST. LOUIS MUTUAL HOUSE BUILDING CO., Office No. 513 Walnut st., Samuel Simmons, Pres.; Hugo Kromrey, Sec'y. This pioneer company builds or purchases houses at option of applicant, on monthly payment plan, in St. Louis City. Prospectus at office free of charge.

STOVE REPAIRS.
Castings and repairs for stoves and ranges of every description. A. G. Brauer, 219 Locust st.

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STORAGE—Regular storage-house for furniture, pianos, vehicles, trunks, boxes, etc.; safe, reliable, clean rooms; get our rates; careful moving, packing, shipping, etc.; estimates free; money loaned. Consign goods to our care. Telephone 4122. R. U. Leonori, Jr., & Co., 1219-1221 Olive.

ONTARIO STORAGE HOUSES
812, 814, 816, 818 N. Tenth St.,
For furniture, pianos, vehicles, trunks, boxes, store and saloon fixtures, etc.; separate rooms, household goods carefully moved, packing and shipping by reliable workmen; estimates cheerfully furnished free; money advanced, vans and wagons for hire. Call and examine warehouse. Telephone 2842.
ALFRED J. YANDELL, Manager.

Fidelity Storage, Packing and Moving Co
1723-25-27 and 29 Morgan St.
Branch office, 1006 Pine st. Phones 2690 and 4101.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR RENT.

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HOUSE—For rent or for sale, house and lot at Webster Groves; immediate possession; plenty shade. 10 N. 7th st.

IMPROVED CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE.

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HOUSE—$2,800 buys a 7-room house at 6135 Etzel av.; lot 32x219.

HOUSE—$300 buys 7-room furnished house; full of roomers. 807 N. 15th st.

HOUSE—For sale, a 2-story double brick, with 14 rooms; bakery oven, stable, large yard; present rent, $60. 3029 Newstead av.

HOUSE—For sale or exchange for vacant lot, a double 2-story house; lot 50x125; rents for $74 per month; located in northern part of city; this property will be sold cheap, as owner must sell; come and make offer. Add. X392, this office.

HOUSE ON 50 FOOT LOT, $750.
Beautiful house on 50 foot lot, $750; on electric line; monthly payments; also fine lots 50x110, $140; terms $4 per month. PHIL CHEW, 9 N. 8th st.

HOME-SEEKERS, ATTENTION!
A comfortable 8-room house in good neighborhood; will sell cheap to close an estate. Don't miss this chance
L. P. YOUNG, Executor,
Room 81, Turner Building.

$4,200 CASH
Will purchase an almost new two-story stone-front house of 6 rooms, with hall, bath, gas, hot and cold water; situated on Morgan st., near Sarah. For particulars see
KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

BUSINESS CORNER.
For Sale—No. 1229 Victor st., cor. 13th, new 2-story pressed-brick front house, with good large store on first floor and 5 rooms, with bath, closet, hot and cold water, on second floor; lot 28½x68 feet; suitable for baker, confectioner, drug store or grocery store; will sell at a bargain for cash. For particulars see
KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

NICE FLATS.
For sale—No. 1752 Mississippi av., brand new 2-story pressed-brick house of 9 rooms, in flats, with bath and w. c. and hot and cold water in each flat; lot 25x100 feet; rents for $500 per annum.
KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

NICE LITTLE HOUSE
For sale—House and lot No. 5522 Old Manchester road, just north of Reber place; a new 2-story pressed-brick front house of 5 rooms, with good cellar; lot 28½x131 feet; terms $200 cash, balance $10 per month. Keys at
KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

NICE NEW HOME
For sale—House No. 4556 Labadie av., one-half block west of Taylor av., Magnolia Terrace; nice 2-story buff-brick front house of 7 rooms; hall, bath and w. c.; furnace pipes, electric lights, etc.; lot 30x120 feet; small cash payment down and balance in monthly payments. See
KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut st.

NICE NEW HOME
For sale—House No. 3944 Shaw av., 2 blocks west of Grand av. and Water Reservoir; nice, new 2-story pressed brick-front house of 8 rooms; hall, bath and w. c.; furnace, pipes and electric lights, etc.; lot 30x125 feet; small cash payment and balance on monthly payments. See
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FOR SALE IN CABANNE DISTRICT.
Beautiful 9-room and reception hall residence; furnace, electric light and latest improvements; stable, etc.; 40 feet front; street made; $1,000 cash, balance time; owner must sell. Add. P. O. Box 784.

CITY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

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MINERVA AND ACADEMY—Southeast corner—A fine business lot in a populous and growing locality; can be improved on both fronts to splendid advantage.
L. P. YOUNG, Room 81, Turner Building.

WILL SACRIFICE
100 feet of ground on Stewart pl., granitoid walks, etc.; must sell this week. Add. N 411, this office.

MONEY TO LOAN ON PERSONAL PROP'TY

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COLUMBIA LOAN CO.
Money to loan on furniture, pianos; lowest rates; business confidential. 810 N. 7th st.

MONEY TO LOAN
On furniture and pianos in any amount you desire without removing property from your house; money can be paid back in installments and save interest; no commission or charges for papers; you can get the money the same day you apply for it. John C. King, 814 Morgan st. Business private.

FURNITURE LOANS.
Money to loan on furniture at residence without removal; lowest rates; business strictly confidential. Union Loan Co., 1008 Pine st.

Merchants,
Clerks and Salesmen,
Respectable Families
Possessing pride and dignity momentarily embarrassed desiring to avoid publicity and regular loan companies with their compound rates of interest can obtain confidential loans in any amount through us upon strict privacy, and can, if desired, secure same on pianos, household furniture, etc., without being removed on terms of repayment consistent with their circumstances.
EMPLOYES, both ladies and gentlemen, of REPUTABLE firms and corporations can obtain spot cash from us without mortgages of any kind.
We assume the same confidential relationship as your lawyer or physician. We practice the "golden rule" in all our dealings. Call on or address Rooms 810 and 811 Security Building.

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The Fidelity Loan Guarantee Co. is now under new management and prepared to make loans of $10 and up on all kinds of personal security, such as
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Our business is conducted in the most confidential manner possible, property remaining in possession of owner; partial payments taken, each payment reducing cost.
If you need money, call and see us.
802 CHESTNUT ST., 2D FLOOR.

MONEY TO LOAN
On Furniture, Pianos, Etc.
OUR METHOD GUARANTEED THE EASIEST AND CHEAPEST IN THE CITY.
Loans made on easy monthly payments in sums and terms to suit borrower, without removal; rebate given if paid before due; written agreement to that effect. All information cheerfully given. Call before going elsewhere. Business strictly confidential.
COMMERCIAL LOAN CO., 712 PINE STREET, Banking rooms, 11 and 12, Second Floor.

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Will loan you any sum you desire from $10 up on furniture and pianos at the lowest rates, and with no extra charge of any kind, and give you as long time as you want to repay same; you can pay the money back in any amount you wish and at any time, and each payment so made will reduce the cost of the loan; or when you borrow the money you can sign notes payable monthly; the notes will include the money you borrow and expenses; each time you pay you take up a note, and when you pay all the notes you have signed you will be through; you won't owe us a cent; we also give you a written agreement that if you pay the loan off in full before the notes expire that we will give you a rebate on all notes that are not due. If you have bought furniture or a piano on time and cannot meet your payment, let us know and we will advance you the money to pay it; we do not remove any goods, but leave them in your possession; we will guarantee our terms to be the cheapest and easiest in the city, and in case of sickness we extend payment; also loans made in the suburbs of the city and East St. Louis. Call on us and we will give you any information you wish. Our office is open from 7 a. m. to 8 p. m. Notary in office.
FURNITURE MORTGAGE LOAN CO., 1303 Washington av., 2d floor.

A GENTLEMAN wishing to invest some surplus funds will loan $25 and upwards on household furniture and other security; parties wishing advance will be treated fairly and can secure loans on satisfactory terms. Call at 1015 Morgan st.

MONEY loaned on clothing, diamonds, watches, chains, guns, revolvers, trunks, medical instruments, etc., at Dunn's Loan Office, 912 Franklin av.

Lodge Notices.

Regular Meetings, 25 cents each insertion; Funeral Notices, 50 cents each insertion.

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 299, K. of P.—Regular meeting Tuesday, March 19, at 8 o'clock, Pythian Hall, northwest corner of Fourth and Locust streets. Work in Page rank. Visitors cordially invited to attend.
DAVE B. ALOE, C. C.
JAS. F. DEMPSEY, K. of R. and S.

EXCELSIOR LODGE, No. 15, I. O. O. F.—Special meeting at hall Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock for the purpose of attending the funeral of our deceased brother, Horace W. Rock. Members are earnestly requested to attend and to assist in conducting the ceremonies.
THEODORE B. PAYNE, Noble Grand.
J. T. [illegible], Recording Secretary.

REAL ESTATE WANTED.

10 cents per line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

RESIDENCE—Wanted, to exchange West End residence for house or lots east of Taylor, south of Easton; state value and location. Add. M 412, this office.

LOT—Wanted, 25-foot lot within six blocks of Olive and Sarah sts. W. C., care Dr. Parker, oculist, Union Trust Building.

LOT—Wanted, to buy for cash, lot between Union av. and city limits; not over $25 per foot. Address F 412, this office.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE.

10 cents per line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

WE have money to loan in amounts of $200, $300, $400, $500, $600, $800, $900, $1,000 to $50,000 on first-class city real estate security.
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UKAN Sell your life insurance policy to Forse Bros., Third and Pine.

HORSES AND VEHICLES.

10 cents per line; Display Headlines, 15 cents per agate line; Display Cards, 20 cents per agate line each insertion.

For Sale.

HORSE—For sale, horse and two spring wagons. 2225 S. 2d st.

HORSE—For sale, 1 horse 5 years old, good worker for delivery wagon; owner has no use for him. 2126 Mullanphy st.

HORSE—For sale, $150 will purchase a good horse, 2 buggies and set of harness; a big bargain. Call at Post-Dispatch office.

TRAPS—New and second-hand open and top wagons, surreys, phaetons, storm buggies; monthly payments. Northwestern Buggy Co., 1110 N. Broadway.

WAGONS—100 storm wagons for sale at Varney's, 2017 Morgan st.

WE will hire you a horse and vehicle for business by the day or week, cheap as owning. Tel. 7545. 507 N. Channing av.

LOST AND FOUND.

5 cents per line each insertion.

Lost.

ACCOUNT BOOK—Lost, March 4, account book, Miss. Valley Trust Co.; no use but to the owner and no questions asked. Return to 4369 Hunt av.

CANE—Lost, Saturday evening on 7th st., gold-headed cane, engraved A. Block; liberal reward. 1015 Dillon st.

COAT—Lost, on Saturday, corduroy hunting coat, between ferry landing and 10th and North Market. Please return to 2325 Howard st. and receive reward.

DOG—Lost, small tan dog. Liberal reward; return 2125 Chestnut st.

POCKETBOOK—Lost, lady's pocketbook containing money, keys, etc., near 3d or 4th and Olive. Return to 219 N. 3d st. and receive reward.

PHOTO—Lost, Thursday evening last, minnete photo and frame of two gentlemen. Finder will please communicate with P 411, this office.

MEDICAL.

TRADE MARK REGISTERED
PHOTOGRAPHED FROM LIFE
1st DAY
10th DAY
20th DAY
30th DAY

Indapo Made a well Man of Me.

INDAPO THE GREAT HINDOO REMEDY PRODUCES THE ABOVE RESULTS in 30 DAYS. Cures all Nervous Diseases, Failing Memory, Paresis, Sleeplessness, Nightly Emissions, etc., caused by past abuses, gives vigor and size to shrunken organs, and quickly but surely restores Lost Manhood in old or young. Easily carried in vest pocket. Price $1.00 a package. Six for $5.00 with a written guarantee to cure or money refunded. Don't buy an imitation, but insist on having INDAPO. If your druggist has not got it, we will send it prepaid. Oriental Medical Co., Props., Chicago, Ill., or our agents. SOLD BY Wolff Wilson Drug Co., 6th and Washington Ave.; M. W. Alexander, 513 Olive St., and Fernow Drug Co., Cor. B'way & Market Sts., St. Louis, Mo.

TRADE MARK BIG G PRICE $1.00
CURE YOURSELF!
Big G is a non-poisonous remedy for all unnatural discharges, and any inflammation, irritation or ulceration of mucous membranes.
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS or sent in plain wrapper, by express, prepaid, on receipt of $1.00, or 3 bottles for $2.75. Circular sent on request.
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Crossman's Specific Mixture.
With this remedy persons can cure themselves without the least exposure, change of diet or change in application to business. The medicine contains nothing that is of the least injury to the constitution. Ask your druggist for it. Price $1 a bottle.

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LEGAL.

ESTATE of Anna Moellenbeck, Deceased—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Anna Moellenbeck, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis on the twelfth day of February, 1895.
All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.
Dated this fifth day of March, 1895.
MARIE FISCHER,
3118 Executrix of Anna Moellenbeck, Deceased.

ESTATE of Mary O'Rourke, Deceased—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Mary O'Rourke, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis on the 2d day of March, 1895.
All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.
Dated this 2d day of March, 1895.
MICHAEL O'ROURKE,
3121 Administrator of Mary O'Rourke, Deceased.

ESTATE of Lucinda Irish, Deceased—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Lucinda Irish, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 26th day of February, 1895.
All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.
Dated this 26th day of February, 1895.
MANLEY G. RICHMOND,
3117 Executor of Lucinda Irish, Deceased.

ESTATE of Hannah K. Tiffany, Deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Hannah K. Tiffany, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis on the fourteenth day of December, 1894.
All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.
Dated this 18th day of March, 1895.
JOHN K. TIFFANY,
Administrator of the estate of Hannah K. Tiffany. [illegible]

BELLEVILLE NEWS.

A Prize Fight Broken Up by the Police.

A prize fight between twocolored men which was going on in the Belleville brass works building east of the city was stopped by Sheriff Weckler and Police Captain Yaekel about 10 p. m., after one round had been fought. About 100 local sports who were watching the contest fell all over themselves in their hurry to escape from the building and avoid recognition. The fighters, Guy Queen of Belleville and James Ripley of East St. Louis, were arrested.

SUNDAY AND THE SALOONS.

Col. Pat Carmody Expresses His Views on the Situation.

The arrest of Pat Carmody and Tony Faust, two of the most prominent saloonkeepers in the city at the instigation of the Sabbath Association, who charge them with violating the Sunday law, has begun the struggle which, if carried on along these lines, will result in much hard feeling and no end of bitter litigation. Carmody was seen this morning in regard to the arrest, and while he spoke in a fair-minded way, it was evident he did not relish the present condition of affairs.

"I am thoroughly in sympathy," he said, "with all truly religious people and will aid them in any way that I can to uphold the law, but I have no use for hypocrites who use religion as a cloak. I want to say right here that the saloons can never be closed all day Sunday. The great masses should have their right to drink as well as the rich man, who has his stock of liquors in his cellar. The Liquor Dealers' Association is willing to meet the Sabbatarians half way. They should have their part of the day and we ours.

"I am heartily in favor of closing the saloons during the forenoon. I believe myself to be liberal-minded and this seems to me a fair proposition. Three months ago I saw what was coming and I went to Excise Commissioner Bell and asked him to state to Boyd and Snyder and the more liberal-minded ministers this proposition. I have talked with Mr. Boyd myself about it and he seemed to favor it. It is the only ultimate solution of the question. The Liquor Dealers' Association has the power to force all the saloons to obey this rule, but could never do so with the rule closing all day Sunday.

"We have always been treated fairly in St. Louis and therefore we want to deal fairly in this matter. They certainly should not ask us to go more than half way."

A Perforated Sewer.

Investigation of the destruction of the public sewer at the northwest corner of Washington and Jefferson avenues by the contractor that built the Union Dairy depot has disclosed that the sewer, in turning the acute angle of intersection, going north, passes through the earth under the sidewalk close to the building line. TOhe piles were driven in the sewer regardless of the rights of the city. To remedy the matter a connection will probably be made with the branch sewer that runs south on Jefferson avenue. The outlay will be about $100.

Will Not Press Spain.

WASHINGTON, D. C. March 19.—This Government is not disposed to be unduly exacting in the matter of speedy response from the Spanish Government to the demands preferred through Minister Taylor, inasmuch as the State Department has been informed by Mr. Taylor that the entire Spanish cabinet has resigned and it is realized that it is no easy matter, even with the best of intentions, for the Government to treat this subject properly, while it is distracted with internal turmoil.

Political Pointers.

Messrs. Schawacker, Junker, Jones and Gordon have been appointed to arrange meetings in the interest of Henry Mundt, the Republican candidate for House of Delegates in the First Ward.

The Democratic City Central Committee will meet Wednesday night to consider plans for the spring campaign. No declinations were reported at Monday night's meeting of the committee.

The Fourth Ward Independent Club meets Friday evening to hold a ratification meeting.

Objections to Monahan.

Walter Monahan has been recommended to Recorder Higgins for an election judgeship by the Second Ward Democrats, but the Recorder is hesitating about making the appointment. Monahan was indicted after the November election for supposed connection with alleged election frauds in the ward. The indictment never amounted to anything, but Recorder Higgins thinks that Monahan's friends should let the effect of it die out thoroughly before they attempt to push Walter to the front again.

Davis Jury Could Not Agree.

LINCOLN, Neb., March 19.—After being out forty-nine hours, the jury in the George Davis murder trial reported that they could not agree, and they were discharged. The jury stood seven to five in favor of acquittal from the first ballot taken. The case will be reset at once.

Davis, a negro, is accused of wrecking the Rock Island express last summer, causing the death of eleven people.

An Ex-County Judge Gone.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

ST. CHARLES, Mo., March 19.—John R. Hollsah, aged 73 years, died here last evening of paralysis. He was Judge of the County Court for a number of years.

Petition for Taafe.

Gov. Stone is to be petitioned to appoint Patrick J. Taafe one of the four new Justices.

DAMAGES FOR DESTROYED CROPS.

Farmer Ward Files a Claim Against the Frisco.

Tim Ward of Winslow, Washington County, Ark., filed a claim against the Frisco Railway Co. for $1,495 this morning in the United States Circuit Court. Ward alleged that, owing to the failure of the Frisco Railroad Co. to fence its right-of-way and to employ cattle guards his farm has been exposed to the raids of cattle and hogs and his crops have been completely destroyed.

WILL BUILD THE ROAD.

Contractors' Bond Approved for the Venice Street Railway.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

VENICE, Ill., March 19.—Messrs. McCambridge and Sharman filed their acceptance of the street railway franchise, together with the $5,000 bond required by the ordinance, with the Village Clerk yesterday. The bond was signed by ex-Gov. D. R. Francis and Carlos S. Greeley as sureties, and was approved by the Board of Trustees of the village at a special meeting last night. The railway will be built at once and will be completed to Granite City by June 1.

All saloon-keepers failing to pay license by to-morow afternoon will be closed up. A number are in arrears since Feb. 15.

Charles Skeen has filed his nomination papers as a candidate for Assessor against T. P. McFee and, George Condy will oppose Wm. Weyh for Collector.

The Republicans of Nameoki Township have nominated a full township ticket headed by Aug. Zippel for Supervisor.

THE MARKETS.

ST. LOUIS, March 19.

Prime reports wheat plant in Kentucky and Tennessee very small and poor stand, the condition backward owing to drouth of last fall. Stocks in farmers' hands are practically exhausted and mills obtaining supplies from north of the Ohio River. In Indiana the plant is not so far advanced as a year ago, as it had no growing weather. Farmers' reserves are the lowest in years.

Total wheat shipments from all countries to Europe last week, 4,647,000 bushels, against 5,776,000 the week before and 5,682,000 one year ago, and nearly 3,000,000 bushels less than European estimated requirements.

Southeastern Kansas advices are that wheat prospects are much better than they were one year ago, late rains having benefited the plant, but it is reported that oats sown before last cold spell were killed.

Wheat shipments from Eastern Europe, Australia and South America were 1,680,000 bushels last week, against 2,480,000 the week before and 2,320,000 one year ago.

Not one corp complaint has so far been heard from lower river points, indicating that the wheat plant in the bottom lands is all right.

Argentine wheat shipments for January and February were 13,792,000 bushels, against 5,680,000 for the same months last year, Beerbohm reports.

Liverpool wheat receipts for the past three days, 310,000 bushels, 115,000 bushels coming from this country, and of corn, 140,000 bushels.

The ground in spring wheat sections is still frozen so hard that there is no immediate prospect for seeding.

New York's stock of contract corn is only 29,000 bushels, the lowest it has been in many years.

Regular Cash Market Prices.

	Tuesday.	Monday.	Year Ago.
WHEAT.			
No. 2 red	54⅛b	55 b	53¼
No. 3 red	53⅜n	54 n	51½
No. 4 winter	52⅝n	53 n	49½
CORN.			
No. 2	43⅛	42¼	34
No. 2 white	43⅜	42¼b	34¼
No. 3	42½	41½	33¾
OATS.			
No. 2	30¼b	30 b	31¾
No. 2 white	32	32 n	.....
No. 3	29 n	29 n	31

Future Prices.

	Closing Monday.	Highest Sales.	Lowest Sales.	Closing Tuesday.
WHEAT.				
May	55⅛@55¼b	55⅛@55¼	54¾	54⅞@55 b
July	55 @55⅛a	54⅞	54½	54¾n
CORN.				
May	43⅛@43¼b	43⅝	43¼	43½@43⅝a
July	43⅝b	44	43⅜	44 n
OATS.				
May	30⅝a	30⅝	30⅜	30½a
June	30⅛a	30	30	30⅛b

CHICAGO—Reported by Gaylord, Blessing & Co., 307 Olive street.

WHEAT.				
May	56⅝a	56⅛	55½	55⅞b
CORN.				
May	46⅞@46⅞	47¼	46½@46⅝	47¼
OATS.				
May	29½@29⅝	29¾	29¼	29¾
PORK.				
May	$11.95	$11.92	$11.55	$11.70
LARD.				
May	6.80	6.77	6.70	6.75
RIBS.				
May	5.87@90	5.85	5.70	5.75

CHICAGO—Wheat—Cash, 54¼c n; May, 55⅛c b; July, 56⅝@⅞c. Corn—Cash, 45⅝c n; May, 47¼c; July, 46⅞c. Oats—Cash, 28⅝c; May, 29⅝c; July, 28½c n. Provisions—Pork—Cash, $11.55 n; May, $11.70. Clear ribs—Cash, 5.62c n; May, 5.75c. Lard—Cash, 6.62c n; May, 6.75c s.

NEW YORK—Wheat—May, 61c a. Corn—May, 51⅜c b. Oats—May, 33⅝c a.

TOLEDO—Wheat—Cash and May, 58c b.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat—May, 59⅛@¼c; July, 59⅞c.

Stocks of Grain in St. Louis.

	Tuesday.	Monday.	Year Ago.
Wheat	3,439,277	3,531,866	4,019,029
Corn	2,529,138	2,520,706	767,070
Oats	366,983	369,513	21,688
Rye	844	844	822
Barley	18,952	18,952	22,475
No. 2 red wheat	3,062,187	3,154,968	3,516,206
No. 2 corn	1,662,261	1,653,245	600,949
No. 2 oats	156,816	158,815	10,486
No. 2 rye	844	844	822

ON 'CHANGE.

WHEAT—Nothing particularly encouraging to buy on and but few outside traders made a slim demand this morning and, as there was considerable for sale, the market declined ⅜@½c from which recovering all this loss. After Call became weak again and dropped to the early lowest rate, but the buying was active and steady and late the market toned up. At close there were buyers ⅛c below yesterday.

Corn was the only prop under the market this morning. Only scattered, light rains were reported for winter wheat sections, where dry weather still generally prevalent, but the conditions favored rains and general crop advices were favorable, so that no crop scare was in sight during the early hours. So it was with very small Baltic shipments and the estimate that last week's wheat shipments from all countries to Europe were 3,000,000 bu below requirements, the effect of which, counteracted by the cables reporting dull and declining markets in England and on the Continent, indicating foreigners were not alarmed by the smaller shipments. Then, again, were the receipts on this side of winter wheat at Western markets 81,000 bu, against 45,000 a week ago and 88,000 a year ago, and of spring wheat 376 cars at Minneapolis and Duluth, against 257 one year ago.

Quite good, however, were the clearances from four ports in flour and wheat, being equivalent to 466,000 bu., and these with reactions elsewhere rallied the local market for a time. But the late cables came unfavorable—Liverpool ¼@½d lower and Berlin off 1c and Paris barely steady, though ⅝c higher, and Antwerp steady—the increased Russian crop estimate was brought in play as an influence to all domestic markets declined. Everything looked blue for a time, but corn was so strong late in the day that it checked the downward course of wheat and closed it firm.

Futures—May opened at 55c and sold to 54⅝c to 55⅛@¼c to 54¾c to 55c, and at close 54⅞@55c bid. July sold at 54⅞c to 54½c, and at close worth 54¾c.

Spot Grades—Nothing done late yesterday nor before call and on call No 2 red offered regular at 55c (the price bid yesterday) and only bid was 54⅝c for United.

The only transaction after call was 5,000 bu No 2 red to an outside mill basis May price in elevator. No local millers in market.

Samples—Received, 2,848 sacks, 9 cars local. Steady and a milling demand for all the offerings of choice, off grades being somewhat slower sale. No. 3 E. track at 55½c. This Side—Cheaty and shrunken at 55½c, choice at 56c and fancy at 56½c in warehouse, 56½c f. o. b. track.

CORN—This market exhibited firmness, though trading was quiet and little change in price during the early hours. After yesterday's sharp advance and reports of an increased cash demand, the trade was impressed by the lightness of receipts at all points this morning, the total at Western markets being 157,000 bushels, against 471,000 one year ago. Then, all domestic and foreign markets were firm and New York reported good orders from abroad, but no stock on hand to fill them. All this created a strong feeling and considerable bull sentiment.

Clearances were rather small, however, from Atlantic ports, though 102,000 bu from New Orleans for Rouen. Trading finally increased and on a buying spurt May sold ⅜@½c higher. The late Liverpool was firm and Bradstreet's reported 284,000 bu decrease in the visible, but the second break in wheat unfavorably affected corn. It did not stay down long and late was strong and advancing on sharp rallies elsewhere. At close there were sellers ⅜c above yesterday.

Futures—May sold at 43¼c to 43⅝c and at close 43½@⅝c asked. July sold at 44c to 43⅜c.

Spot Grades—Higher. Order buyers were in the market for No 2 on call, paying 43½c E side (½c advance), and for a local distiller 5,000 bu in T sold at 43⅝c (in exchange for May contract), but D and F offered at 43¼c and only 43⅛c bid, though 43½c bid St. Louis and C. No 3 offered in F at 42¾c and No 3 white regular at 43c, bid 42¼c for each in United. No 2 white sold in A at 43⅜c; bid 43¼c for United, 43⅝c this side.

After call No. 2 sold E. side at 43½c and that the best price obtainable for D, but M car lots brought 43½c and T 43⅝c, and 5,000 bu this side May price in elevator. No 3 E. side and in F sold at 42½c.

Samples—Received, 1,836 sacks, 30 cars local. Cornmeal mills entirely out of market and impossible to sell choice white unless an outside buyer's found, but mixed firm and ready sale.

OATS—Some speculative demand was seen this morning and sales made at the prices asked at close of yesterday. Subsequently advanced ¼c, but at close was rather easier.

Futures—May sold at 30⅝c to 30⅜c and at close 30½c asked. June sold at 30c and later 30⅛c bid.

Spot grades—Stronger, but ½c difference kept buyers and sellers apart on Call, where No. 2 offered E. side at 30⅝c, bid 30¼c.

Samples—Received 11 cars local, 7 through. Steady, but a tame market. There was a shipping inquiry, but no business developed and sales were all to local trade. In special bin No 2 sold at 30½c and No 2 white at 32@32½c. Track this side—No 2 at 30¾@31c; Northern mixed at 31c for badly seed mixed to 31½c; No 2 white at 32½c for seedy to 32¾c. East track—No 2 at 30¾@31c to 31¼c, latter delivered this side. Sacked lots on orders, 35@36c.

RYE—Stock of a little over 800 bu held by one party, who asks 60c E. side. On Call no bids for it.

HAY.

Received. 420 tons; shipped, 69 tons. Lessened offerings East track, as receipts smaller there and most of the buying for some time on that side, and the market really better for choice and fancy grades. Besides the local demand some buying for shipment, but anything off in quality—a large portion of the offerings stained and out of condition—the hardest kind of work to dispose of and then only at low prices. On this side the market was dull, as few buyers around and their wants light. Prairies continues in too plentiful supply for the demand and market both dull and easy.

Sales: Track and warehouse, this side—Prairie—1 car part common at $6 and part strictly prime at $8.50, 1 common at $6.50, 1 fair at $7, 2 about prime at $7.50, 2 choice at $9, 1 gilt edge at $11. Clover—1 car at $9.50, 1 (mixed) at $10. Mixed—1 slightly grassy at $10, 1 do at $10.25. Timothy—1 car poor at $8, 1 strictly prime at $10, 2 choice at $10.50, 5 strictly do at $11, 2 fancy at $11.50.

East Side—Timothy—1 car badly stained and low-grade at $6, 1 choice at $10, 3 strictly do (1 large baled) at $10.50, 3 fancy (1 ¼-bales and 1 ½-bales) at $11, 1 fancy at $11.50.

STRAW—Sale: 1 car wheat East side at $4.

FLOUR AND FEED.

FLOUR—Slow and easy; some sellers shading prices. Domestic trade continues fair, but no export sales possible—3d to 1s separating buyers and sellers.

Patents	$2 75@2 90
Extra fancy	2 55@2 60
Fancy	2 25@2 30
Choice	2 00@2 10
Rye flour	3 00@3 10
Cornmeal	2 15@2 20

MILLFEED—Easier and quieter. Eastern buyers would not pay over 71c for bran E track, but sellers held for 71½c. No Southern demand by river.

PROVISIONS.

PORK—Standard mess, $11.80 per bbl; on orders, 50c higher.

LARD—Prime steam, 6.52½c; choice, 6.62½c.

BACON—Sales, boxed lots: Shoulders, 5⅞c; longs, 6⅜c; clear ribs, 6½c; short clear, 6⅝c. On orders—Longs, 6⅝c; c'ribs, 6⅞c; short clear, 7c.

D. S. MEATS—Sales, boxed lots: Shoulders, 4⅞c; longs, 5⅞c; clear ribs, 6c; short clear, 6⅛c. On orders—Longs, 6¼c; clear ribs, 6⅜c; short clear, 6½c.

SUGAR-CURED HAMS—On orders, 9½@11½c per lb.

BREAKFAST BACON—On orders, 9@11½c per lb.

COUNTRY MEATS—Bacon shoulders, 4½@4⅞c; clear sides, 5⅝@6c; hams, 7@8c. D. S. Meats, ⅝c per lb less.

COUNTRY LARD—Quiet at 5@5⅝c, as to quality.

BEEF—On orders, $7 per bbl; rolled, $9; dried,

EGGS.

Received, 8,634 cases; shipped, 5,122 cases. Firmer at 9¼c per dozen.

SEEDS AND CASTOR BEANS.

GRASS SEEDS—Clover and millet lower; clover, poor to fair, $7.50@8; choice, $8.20@8.30; timothy, $5.25@5.50; red top, $3@3.50; Hungarian and German millet, $1.45@1.70; white millet, $1.30@1.42—all per 100 lbs.

FLAXSEED—Quiet at $1.37 per bu.

HEMP SEED—Steady at $2.80 per 100 lbs, pure test.

CASTOR BEANS—Prime, $1.25; small lots and inferior, less.

STOCK PEAS—Quotable at 90c@$1.25.

LEAD AND SPELTER.

LEAD—Firm and in demand at $2.90, but offerings small and little to be had at that. Sales: 2 cars soft Mo E track at $2.90.

SPELTER—Wanted at $2.97½, and not much for sale.

ON THE STREET.

(The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods, and are higher.)

FRUITS.

APPLES—In small supply and fair demand. Fancy California, $2 per box; Ben Davis and winesap, $4@4.50 per barrel; Geneting, $3@3.75; Eastern, at $3.50@4 for Baldwin and Greening and $4@4.25 for Spy; seconds, $2.75@3.25.

CALIFORNIA FRUITS—Pears, selling at $1.50@2 per box.

ORANGES—Only a small demand. California. $2.50@3.50 per box; Mexican, $2.25@2.75; Valencia, $4@4.50 per case; Messina, $2@2.50 box.

LEMONS—Quiet. Messina and Palermo, $2@3 per box.

BANANAS—On orders, $1@1.50 per bunch, according to size.

COCOANUTS—Selling, in round lots, from first hands, at $25@27 per 1,000; in a small way, at $2.75@3 per 100.

DRIED FRUIT—Steady, but very quiet. Apples, sun-dried quarters, 6¼@7; evaporated rings, 8¼@7½c; chopped, 1½c; cores and peelings, ⅝@1c.

VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—The demand only fair. Colorado, 80@87½c per bu; Burbank, 70@77c; Rose, 75@85c; early Ohio, 90c@$1.10; Peerless and Hebron, 70@75c; home-grown, 50@60c. On orders, 10c per bushel more than foregoing prices is charged.

ONIONS—Unchanged; fancy red globe, $1.10@1.20 per bu; choice yellow, 95c@$1. On orders, 10c per bu. more than foregoing prices are charged.

SPANISH ONIONS—Quiet at 85@90c per case.

CABBAGE—Easy. California, $2@2.10 per 100 lbs. On orders, 2⅜c per lb.

CELERY—California, 40@60c per bunch; fancy white plume, $1@1.25. Celery roots, 40@45c per doz.

SWEET POTATOES—Jansemond, $2.25@2.50 per bbl on orders; Bermuda, $1.75; consigned yellow, sell at $1.75@1.85 per bbl.

RUTABAGAS—Quiet at 30@33c per bu; on orders, $1 per bbl.

PARSNIPS—Choice on orders, $1.75 per bbl; Northern, 50@60c per 100 lbs.

HORSERADISH—Choice on orders, $3.50 per bbl.

CARROTS—Northern, 70@80c per 100 lbs; choice on orders, $1.50 per bbl.

CUCUMBERS—Fancy, $2@2.50 per doz.

SAUER KRAUT—Half-bbls, $2.75; bbls, $5; on orders, 25@50c higher.

BEETS—Choice on orders, $1.75 per bbl; new Southern, 70@80c per dozen bunches.

TURNIPS—Home-grown, on orders, at 75c per bbl; Southern, 50@60c per doz bunches.

CAULIFLOWER—California, $2.25 to $3 per crate; fancy on orders, $2@2.50 per doz.

LETTUCE—Home-grown, on orders, 90c@$1 per box and $3.75@4 per bbl.

SPINACH—Home-grown on orders, $1 per box; $3.50 per bbl.

BUTTER AND CHEESE.

BUTTER—Steady. Creamery: Separator, 14@15c; gathered cream, 11@14c; fancy Elgin, 20c. Dairy: Good to choice, 11@13c; low to medium, 5@9c. Country packed and roll, 4@6c; selected. 1c more. Grease butter, 3c.

CHEESE—Full cream, twins, 11½c; singles, 11½c; Young America, 12c; winter-made, twins, 6½@7½c; singles, 6¾@7¾c; Young America, 7@8c; brick, 13c; Limburger, 12c; Swiss, choice, 13@14c.

POULTRY, GAME AND VEAL.

LIVE POULTRY—Firm. Chickens, 7½@8c per lb; old roosters, 4c; young roosters, 6c; turkeys, 9½@10½c; ducks, 8@9c; geese, 3½@4c.

GAME—Ducks easier; receipts increasing. Ducks, mallard, $2 per doz; teal, $1.75; mixed, $1 snipe, $1.50.

LIVE VEALS—Easy and quiet. Choice at 4½c per lb; fair stocks, 3@3½c; heretics, rough and thin, 2@2½c per lb.

HIDES, FEATHERS. PELTS, TALLOW, ETC.

HIDES—Firm, but unchanged.

Round prices—

Green salted Western	5¼
Green salted Southern	5
Dry Texas, choice	9½
Dry Texas, average run	9 @9¼
Southern and inferior	9
Dry natives	9 @9¼
Dry salted	6⅞
Glue stock, green and dry	2½@4½
On selection—	
Green salted, No. 1	5½
Green salted, No. 2	4½
Uncured 1c and part cured ½c less.	
Dry flint, No. 1	10
Dry flint, No. 2	8½
Dry salted, No. 1	7½
Dry salted, No. 2	6¼

Fallen hides about 1c less, as to quality.

SHEEP PELTS—Green salted, large, 40@50c; smaller size and dry, 25@40c; lambs, 15@30c; shearlings, 10@20c; dry fallen sheep pelts, 4@4½c per lb.

DEER SKINS, ETC.—Deer skins quiet; 22c per lb for prime dry—damaged half price; antelope, 12½c; goat skins, 10@20c each.

FEATHERS—Steady. Prime white live geese, large sks, 36c; small sks, 38c; quilly and prime gray, 28c; old white, 32c; X, 28@30c; XX, 15@17c; XXX, 10@12c; XXXX, 5@7c. Chicken—Prime, 3½c. Duck—Dark, 20c; white, 28c. Tare, 3 to 10 per cent. Turkey—Prime tail, clean and straight, 10c; prime wing, 8c; pointers, 2½c; mixed wing and tail, 8c; mixed wing, tail and pointers, 5c; prime body, 1c; damp, quilly and mixed, discounted as to value.

TALLOW—Scarce and firm; prime stock in bbls, 4¾c per lb; No. 2 and stock in irregular pkgs, 4⅜c; cake, 5¼c.

GREASE—White, 4@4¼c per lb; yellow, 3½@3⅝c; brown, 3¼@3½c.

BEESWAX—Prime salable at 30c per lb.

ROOTS—Ginseng, $2.35@2.65; seneca, 22@24c; snake, 20@24c; golden seal, 12@14c; may apple, 1½@2c; pink, 15c; lady slipper, 4c; black, 3¼@4½c; angelica, 3¼@4c; wahoo, bark of tree, 3½@4c; root, 7c; blood, 2@2½c; blue flag, 4c; golden thread, 8c; butterfly, 8c; bitter sweet bark, 5c.

FURS.

Weak, but unchanged.

	No. 1. Large.	No. 1. Med.	No. 2.	No. 3.	No. 4.
Raccoon	$ 50	$ 40	$ 25	$ 15	$ 5
Mink	70	50	30	20	10
Fox, gray	60	50	35	20	10
Fox, red	90	60	45	20	10
Wolf, prairie	60	50	40	20	10
Wolf, timber	1 00	80	50	25	10
Beaver	6 00	4 00	2 50	1 50	50
Otter	7 00	5 00	3 50	1 50	50
Bear	12 00	10 00	6 00	2 00	25

Skunk, blk, large	$ 90	Opossum	5@10
Skunk, short stripe	70	Muskrat	5@ 8
Skunk, n'r'w stripe	40	Wildcat	10@25
Skunk, broad stripe	15	Civet cat	10@15
Skunk, Texas	20@40	House cat	10
Skunk, Ind. Ter.	30@55	Badger	5@50

Northern stock worth 10 to 45 per cent more and Southern 10 to 15 per cent less than above quotations.

WOOL.

Fairly active movement to note.

	Medium.	Braid and Low.	Light Fine.	Heavy Fine.
Mo., Ill., etc	14 @15	12 @14	10 @11	8 @9
Kn., Nb., etc	10 @12	8 @10	8 @ 9	6 @7
Tx., Ark., etc	10 @13	8 @10	7 @ 9	5 @7
Dk., Wy., etc	10 @12	8 @10	8 @ 9	6 @7

Slightly burry	10@11	Tub-washed—	
Hard burry	8	Fair to choice	20@21
South'n hard burry	7	Inferior	10@18

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

SORGHUM—Quiet at 17c per gal. for choice; fermented, burnt, etc., 10@14c.

POPCORN—Quotable at from ⅝@1¼c per lb, as to quality.

HONEY—Choice in bbls. and half-bbls., 4½@5c; in cans, 6¼@8c; choice white comb, 15@16c; dark and broken, 6@8c.

BROOM CORN—Firm. Ordinary is quotable at 3@4c; choice, 4@5c; fancy worth more.

HOPS—Quiet. New York, choice, 11@12c per lb.; Pacific Coast, 11@12c; foreign, 25@30c.

SALT—Domestic, East Side, 85@90c per bbl.; this side, 90@95c.

HEMP—Missouri undressed, $70@80 per ton.

GREEN PEAS—Green jobbing at $1.05@1.10 per bu; Scotch, $1.15; spit, $1.45.

WHITE BEANS—Very firm. Country sell at $1.10@1.30 per bu; weevily less. Eastern handpicked medium jobbing at $2.05; pea beans at $2.10; Lima at 5@5¼c per lb.

BROOMCORN—Firm and scarce. Common, 2½@3c per lb; fair, 3½@4c; choice, 4½@5; fancy green, 5½@6c.

SCRAP IRON AND METAL—Iron, wrought, 25c per 100 lbs; heavy cast, 25c; stove plate, 20c; malleable and burnt, 15c. Brass, light, $3; heavy, $5. Copper, $6. Lead, $2.25. Zinc, $2. Pewter, $9.

BAGGING—Order prices: 1-¾lb, 4⅝c; 2-lb, 5c; 2¼-lb, 5⅝c. Iron ties, 65c. Hemp twine, 9c per lb.

SACKS—Burlaps, 2-bu, 3⅝c; 2½-bu, 4c; 3-bu, 4½c; 4-bu, 5c; 5-bu, 5½c; 6-bu, 5⅝c. Wool—2½-lb, 15c; 3-lb, 19½c; 3¼-lb, 20½c; 3½-lb, 21½c. Cotton, seamless, 10@17c. Flour—25-lb, 2⅝c; 49-lb, 3⅝c; 98-lb, 5⅜c; 100-lb, export, 6⅛c.

BONES—Choice bleached, $13 per ton; partly bleached, $11@12; skinny, $8; junk, $10; slaughter-house stock, $7@8.

RAGS, OLD ROPE AND RUBBER—Rags, 60@65c per 100-lbs. Old rope, No. 1, $1.25; No. 2, 50c. Old rubber, $3.50.

EMPTY BARRELS—Coal oil, 75c; vinegar, 35c; black oil, 25@30c; lard oil, 45@50c; linseed oil, 55@60c; sugar, 12½@15c; whisky, 40@50c; half-barrels, 30c; wine, 60@65c; sauerkraut, 20@25c; molasses, 20c; pickle, 25@30c; barrels with broken staves, 25c less.

COOPERSTUFF—Shaved hoops, cooper flour barrels, $3.50@3.75; country, $2.75@3; half-barrel, $1.50; coiled elm, $5.50@6; pork barrels, $5@6; lard tierce, $9@9.50. Staves, flour barrel, $5.50@5.75; culls, $2.50@3; half-barrel, $4@4.50; pork barrel, $16; lard tierce, $22; beer keg, $16@18. Heading, flour barrel, 3⅜c per set.

HOPS—Steady; New York, 11@12c per lb; Pacific Coast, 11@12c; foreign, 25@30c.

MOSS—Unchanged, but quiet. Gray, 1½@2c; gray and brown mixed, [illegible]c; black and brown mixed, 2¾@3¼c; bl[illegible]¼@3½c. Country machine-picked—XX, 2[illegible]c; XXX, 3½@4c; XXXX, 4½@5c.

COOPERAGE—Flour bbls, round hoop, 31c; flat hoop, 27c; half-bbls, 21c; meal bbls, 24c; produce bbls, 20@22c; lard tcs, 92½c; half tcs, 60c; pork bbls, 70c; half-bbls, 50c.

OILS—Linseed oil, raw, 57c per gallon; boiled, 60c. Castor oil, best, 10c per lb; No. 3, 8⅝c. Cottonseed oil, summer yellow, 30c; white, 31c; winter yellow, 35c; white, 36c.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, March 19.—Wheat was easy at the start to-day. The Northwestern receipts were large, cables were lower and sellers were more numerous than buyers. The European supplies for the week showed a decrease, causing a reaction from the low figures. May opened ⅝@½c lower at 55⅛c, sold from 55⅝c to 56⅛c, and reacted to 55⅞c. Corn opened steady, but declined in sympathy with wheat. May opened unchanged at 46⅞c, touched 46½ and reacted to 46⅝c. Oats were dull but steady. May opened unchanged at 29⅛c, touched 29⅝c and reacted to the opening price. Provisions were weak. The liberal selling of yesterday was continued and a weak market was reported at the yards. May pork opened 5c lower at $11.90, declined rapidly to $11.55 and reacted to $11.60.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 19.—Butter steady; creameries, 10@19c; dairies, 8@17c. Eggs quiet, 10½c.

NEW YORK, March 19.—Butter—Receipts, 3,616 packages; firmer; Western dairy, 8@13c; Western creamery, 11@20c; Elgins, 19½@20c. Eggs—Receipts, 16,743 packages; lower; Western, 12½@12¾c. Sugar—Raw steady; prices unchanged; refined quiet and unchanged. Coffee dull.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 19.—Close: Oats—March, 28⅝c; May, 29⅝c; June, 29¼c; July, 28¼c. Wheat—March, 54¼c; May, 55⅞c; July, 56⅝@56¾c; September, 57½c. Corn—March, 45¾; May, 47¼c; July, 46⅞c; September, 46⅞c. Pork—March, $11.55; May, $11.70; July, $11.82½. Lard—March, 6.62½c; May, 6.75c; July, 6.87½c; September, 7c. Short ribs—March, 5.62½c; May, 5.75c; July, 5.90c; September, 6.02½@6.05c. Cash: Wheat, 54¼c; corn, 45⅝c; oats, 28⅞c; pork, $11.55; lard, 6.62½c; ribs, 5.62½c. Flax—Cash Northwestern, $1.41½; May, $1.41 bid, $1.42 asked. Timothy—Cash, $5.75 asked.

PEORIA, Ill., March 19.—Corn firm, higher; No 2 44½c, No 3 44c. Oats active, steady; No 2 white 31¾c; 31½c, No 3 white 30¾@31c. Rye firm; No 2 53½c. Whisky steady; finished goods $1.25. Receipts—Wheat 4,800 bu, corn 22,700 bu, oats 50,600 bu, rye none, barley 9,100 bu. Shipments—Wheat none, corn 3,900 bu, oats 37,400 bu, rye none, barley 2,800 bu.

LIVERPOOL, March 19.—Wheat—Spot quiet; demand moderate; No. 2 red winter, 4s 9d; No. 2 red spring, 5s 3d; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 5s 3d; No. 1 California, 5s 1d. Futures opened quiet but steady with near and distant positions ¼d lower; closed steady with August ¼d lower and other months ½d lower; business about equally distributed. March, 4s 8¾d; April, 4s 8¾d; May, 4s 9¼d; June, 4s 9¼d; July, 4s 9½d; August, 4s 10d. Corn—Spot firm; American mixed new 4s 3d; futures opened steady with near and distant positions ¼d higher, but later reacted and closed unchanged from yesterday's closing prices; business heaviest on early positions; March, 4s 3d; April, 4s 2¾d; May, 4s 2¾d; June, 4s 2¾d; July, 4s 3d.

Coffee.

ST. LOUIS, March 19.

Reported by the Hanley & Kinsella Coffee and Spice Co.

	First Call.	Second Call.	Third Call.
March	15.30b	.....	.....
April	15.10b	.....	.....
May	14.85b	.....	.....
June	14.80b	.....	.....
July	14.85b	14.95	.....
August	14.80b	.....	.....

Mail pouch coffee at 22.35.

RIO—No. 7 Coffee Exchange standard, 16 mil, 600; exchange, 9¾; receipts 2 days, 5,000; clearances U. S., 2,000; Europe, nil; stock, 84,000; market quiet.

SANTOS—Receipts 2 days, 6,000; stock, 222,000; market quiet; good average Santos, 15 mil, 900; cleared from Rio March 12, steamer Culeridge, 23,000.

MONEY.

Bank clearings	$3,873,912
Balances	527,103

Exchange—Quoted by A. G. Edmunds & Sons:

New York	50c prem bid
Chicago	par bid
Cincinnati	par bid
Louisville	par bid
New Orleans	75c dis bid

Private Wire to Gaylord, Blessing & Co.

LONDON, 2 p. m.—Prices of American securities:

New York Central	98	adv ⅝
St. Paul	57⅞	adv ½
Louisville & Nashville	51⅛	adv ⅛
Erie	8¾	adv ¼
Union Pacific	9⅝	adv ⅜
Northern Pacific, pf.	15⅝	adv ⅛
Reading	4⅝	adv ¼
Atchison	4¼	adv ⅛
Canadian Pacific	38½	dec ⅞
Bar silver	281 1-6	adv ⅜

NEW YORK—The stock market was considered more satisfactory than for a long time. Commission houses had a fair amount of business and reported more inquiry and miscellaneous buying. The bulk of buying no doubt came from the short interest, as evidence of which was pointed out the fact of 1,000 and 500-share lot orders coming in that were bought in during the day.

The annual report of the Texas & Pacific shows net earnings, after deducting operating expenses, decreased $54,000; surplus, after charges, amounts to $513,000, which is a decrease of $113,000; out of this $245,000 for the Gould-Huntington settlement. The earnings of the same road for the second week of March increased $20,700. Missouri, Kansas & Texas earnings for the same time increased $54,600.

The market responds to the strong stock market in London and has a strong undertone. Foreigners are buying St. Paul. Jersey Central is still advancing and the character of the buying is very good. There is also buying by Philadelphia houses and traders joined in it. The whole market is developing considerable strength and it looks as if the advance would continue. London is buying Louisville & Nashville and continues to buy St. Paul.

New York Stocks.

Corrected daily by Whitaker & Hodgman, bond and stock brokers, 300 North Fourth street.

ST. LOUIS, March 19.

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Tob., com	91⅛	93	91½	92¼
American Tob., pf	107	....	....	107
Atchison	4	4⅛	4	4⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	54½	....	....	54½
Canada Southern	49½	49⅛	48¾	48⅞
Ches. & Ohio, com	17⅛	17⅜	17⅛	17⅛
Central New Jersey	92¼	94⅛	92¼	94
Chicago Gas Trust	71¼	71⅜	70⅝	71⅛
C., C., C. & St. L	37¾	38⅛	37⅝	38¼
C., R. I. & P	64	64⅝	63⅛	64¼
C., B. & Q	72⅛	73	72	73
C., M. & St. P., com	56½	57¼	56⅝	57⅛
C., M. & St. P., pf	118	119	118	119
C. & N. W., com	90⅞	92	90⅝	92
Colo. Fuel & Iron	24½	25	24½	25
Cotton Oil, com	25½	25⅞	25¼	25⅝
Cotton Oil, pf	70⅝	71⅛	70⅝	71⅛
Del., Lack. & West	161	161¼	160½	161⅛
Delaware & Hudson	128	129	128	128
Erie, com	8½	9	8½	9
Erie, pf	17½	17½	17	17
Edison General	29¾	31⅛	29¾	31⅛
Hocking Valley	23⅞	24¼	23⅞	24¼
Illinois Central	87	....	....	87
Laclede Gas, com	26⅝	27	26⅝	27
Laclede Gas, pf	34	....	....	84
Laclede Gas, bonds	94	....	....	94
Louisville & Nashville	49¾	50⅞	49⅝	50⅝
Lake Shore	137	....	....	137
Lake Erie & West., com	16⅝	17¼	16⅝	17
Lake Erie & West., pf	72⅝	73	72⅝	73
Lead, com	30	30⅝	30	30½
Lead, pf	84⅞	84⅞	84⅝	84⅝
Missouri Pacific	21	21⅛	20⅞	21¼
M., K. & T., pf	25⅜	25⅝	25½	25½
Manhattan Elevated	108½	109	108⅛	108⅞
National Cordage, com	5⅜	5⅝	5⅜	5⅝
National Cordage, pf	8⅞	8⅞	8⅝	8⅞
New York & New Eng	33⅞	34⅝	33⅞	34⅝
North American	4	4⅛	4	4⅛
Northern Pacific, com	3⅝	3⅝	3¼	3¼
Northern Pacific, pf	15¼	15⅝	15¼	15⅝
New York Central	94⅝	95½	94½	95½
Nickle, com	13	....	....	13
Nickle, 2d pf	27	....	....	27
Ont. & Western	16⅝	16½	16⅝	16½
Omaha, com	31½	32½	31½	31⅝
Pacific Mail	21½	22	21½	22
Phil. & Reading	9⅛	10⅛	9⅛	9⅝
Sugar, com	97½	98¼	96½	97
Sugar, pf	93	....	....	93
Tenn. Coal X Iron	14	14⅞	13¾	14⅛
Texas X Pacific	9⅛	....	....	9⅛
Union Pacific	9	9⅜	9	9¼
U. S. Rubber, com	40⅝	....	....	40⅝
U. S. Rubber, pf	93¼	93¼	93	93
Western U. Tel. Co	88½	89	88⅝	89
Wabash, com	6	6¼	6	6¼
Wabash, pf	13½	13⅝	13½	13⅝
Whisky Trust	12⅛	12⅝	12	12⅝

Wall Street.

NEW YORK, March 19.—The market opened strong and active. New Jersey Central advanced ⅝, L & N. ⅝ and General Electric, Northwest, New England and Chesapeake & Ohio ⅛. Sugar opened ¼ higher, receded ½ and then sold up 1¼ to 98⅛.

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The first fifteen minutes $10,000 in silver certificates changed hands at 64. There was no abatement to the improving tendency of speculation before 11 o'clock. General Electric sold up 1 per cent, Cordage ⅜, do preferred and Wheeling & Lake Erie ⅜ and Southern preferred, St. Paul, Burlington, Cotton Oil preferred, C. C. C. & St. L. and Susquehanna & Western preferred ⅛.

The market was strong in tone and active after 11 o'clock, with the coal shares and the Grangers most prominent in the trading. The advances made were Delaware & Hudson, 1⅜; New Jersey Central, 1½; Reading, 1¼; Lackawanna, 1; Northwest, 1¼; Rock Island, 1; Burlington, ⅝; St. Paul, ⅜; Tobacco, 1⅜; Edison Electric, 1½; Louisville & Nashville, Cotton Oil and Laclede Gas, 1¼; do preferred, 1⅝; New York Central, Erie, Toledo, Ann Arbor, Lake Erie & Western preferred and New York, Chicago & St. Louis second preferred, 1, and the rest of the list ⅛@⅝, with but few exceptions. Canada Southern declined ¾, Interior Conduit 1⅛ and Tennessee Coal 1 per cent, the latter rallying ½. Delaware & Hudson reacted ½, but the market at 12 o'clock was still strong at the advance. Sales to noon, 127,700 shares, including 106,300 listed and 21,400 unlisted.

Money on call moderately active at 2@2½ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4@5¼ per cent; sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.89½@4.89¾ for demand and at $4.87¾@4.88 for sixty days; posted rates, $4.88½ and $4.90; commercial bills, $4.87¼; silver certificates, 64; sales, 10,000; bar silver, 62⅞; Mexican dollars, 50; Government bonds firm; United States new 4s regular, 120¼; coupon, 120⅜; 5s regular, 115½; do coupon, 115½; 4s regular, 111¼; do coupon, 112¼; 2s regular, 95; Pacific 6s of '95, 100.

LONDON, March 19.—Closing: Consols for money 104 7-16; do for the account, 104.

ST. LOUIS STOCK MARKET.

St. Louis National was bid at 111 for 100 shares, and was offered at 115.

Brewery bonds were bid at 95, and 95½ was asked.

Lindell stock was bid at 107.

Suburban stock was wanted at 21½, and 21¾ was asked.

Suburban bonds were bid at 92¼.

Laclede Bank was bid at 105½, and 106¼ was asked.

American Exchange Bank was bid at 84½ for 25 shares.

American Central was offered at 30.

Cotton Compress bonds were bid at 102½, and 103 was asked.

Cotton Compress stock was for sale at 75.

Two Boatman's Bank stock were sold at 159. Asked, 160.

Fifty shares of Granite Mountain sold at 202½. Asked, 205, and 200 bid.

Missouri Electric seconds were bid at 99¾.

Bank of the Republic was bid at 84¼, and 85 was asked.

Chemical National was wanted at 90¾, and was offered at 91¼.

Compton Heights was bid at 107, and 107¾ was asked.

Consolidated Coal was bid for at 21¾, but 23 was asked.

South Side Bank was bid up from 105 to 107½ for 100 shares or any part. No sales.

Bank of Commerce was bid at 150½.

St. Louis Trust Company was for sale at 125.

Hydraulic Press Brick was bid at 107, and was offered at 112½.

Continental National Bank was wanted at 132, and was for sale at 133½.

Kennard Carpet Company, common, was bid at 72½. None offered.

United Elevator was bid at 46¾, and 25 shares were offered at 47¼.

Two thousand Union Depot bonds were sold at 105½.

Derby Lead Company was bid for at 5½.

Two shares of Merchants' Terminal were sold at 100½.

Silver Advancing.

AMSTERDAM, March 19.—Price of silver has advanced to 49 guilders per kilo.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 19.—Barley, choice, 55c; medium, 53½c.

LIVE STOCK.

National Stock Yards.

CATTLE—Receipts, 3,259. Natives were represented by about 35 car loads and Southern about 75 car loads. Choice heavy native steers were not represented. It was a firm market without any material change in prices. Texas cattle were active at firm prices.

REPRESENTATIVE CATTLE SALES.

No.	Quality.	Av.	Price.
21	Texas steers	1,213	$4 75
147	Texas steers	1,108	4 40
110	Texas steers	1,027	4 25
88	Texas steers	1,016	4 25
40	Texas steers	1,174	4 30
40	Texas steers	1,177	4 20
90	Texas steers	1,047	4 20
21	Indian steers	870	3 55
20	Arkansas steers	769	2 85
17	Texas stags	1,167	3 15
26	Texas steers	908	3 65
23	Texas cows	777	2 75
11	native steers	1,233	4 85
24	native steers	909	4 25
20	native steers	1,265	4 90
44	native steers	1,089	4 50
22	native steers	1,043	4 30
16	native steers	1,248	4 90
11	native cows and heifers	883	3 40

HOGS—Receipts, 6,406 head. The market opened steady, but very few sales could be made on that basis, as a decline of about 5c per 100 pounds was soon established, after which the trade was active. There were no choice heavy offered and prices at that grade are not represented. Th best mdium-weight and good heavy sold at $4.60 to $4.65; fair to good medium-weights and mixed lots at $4.35 to $4.55; common light, $4.25 to $4.30; light pigs, $3.75.

HOG SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
77	231	$4 65	74	216	$4 60	60	292	$4 60
73	209	4 55	68	214	4 55	77	199	4 55
18	225	4 55	75	234	4 55	69	289	4 55
71	263	4 55	77	211	4 55	59	218	4 55
69	243	4 50	78	210	4 50	89	207	4 50
55	205	4 50	38	215	4 50	81	210	4 50
83	192	4 50	71	183	4 50	49	235	4 50
30	217	4 45	73	236	4 45	60	193	4 45
51	209	4 45	74	174	4 45	41	243	4 45
20	148	4 40	75	159	4 40	38	159	4 40
62	201	4 40	103	162	4 35	17	174	4 35
80	160	4 35	83	172	4 30	53	156	4 25
35	127	4 25	113	133	4 25	60	78	3 75

SHEEP—Receipts, 820 head. Considering the small supply, all grades of native sheep were well represented. Buyers apparently had considerable orders and the market ruled active and strong for anything in shape to kill. The better grades sold a shade higher, and the poor to medium kinds steady.

SHEEP SALES.

No.	Quality.	Av.	Price.
20	lambs	117	$4 85
57	native mixed	81	4 50
92	native mixed	111	4 45
66	native sheep	118	4 40
56	native mixed	114	4 35
29	native mixed	99	4 25
76	Southwest mixed	97	4 00
52	Southwest mixed	70	3 75
10	culls	75	2 75
10	bucks	154	3 25

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Live Stock by Telegraph.

CHICAGO, March 19.—Hogs—Receipts, 23,000; official yesterday, 40,262; shipments, 9,713; left over, 6,000. Market opened steady but became weak to 5c lower; light, $4.30@4.60; mixed, $4.30@4.65; heavy, $4.25@4.75. One fancy load early at $4.80; rough, $4.25@4.40. Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; official yesterday, 12,930; shipments, 3,521. Market steady. Sheep—Receipts, 11,000; official yesterday, 12,826; shipments, 278. Market quiet but steady. Estimated receipts to-morrow, hogs, 34,000.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 19.—Cattle—Receipts 4,100; shipments, 900. Market steady to strong; Texas steers, $3.35@4.65; Texas cows, $1.65@3.50; beef steers, $3.80@6.00; native cows, $1.25@5.00; stockers and feeders, $2.20@4.70; bulls, $2.70@4.50. Hogs—Receipts, 13,100; shipments, 500. Market weak to 10c lower; bulk of sales, $4.35@4.55; heavies, $4.45@4.55; packers, $4.35@4.55; mixed, $4.25@4.50; lights, $4.15@4.35; Yorkers, $4.25@4.35; pigs, $3.60@4.15. Sheep—Receipts, 3,500; shipments, 700. Market steady.

OMAHA, Neb., March 19.—Cattle—Receipts 2,200 head; market steady; steers $4@5.50, bulk $4.30@4.90, cows and heifers $1.25@3.85, bulk $2.25@3.15, stockers and feeders, $2.25@3.85, bulk $2.90@3.35. Hogs—Receipts 4,400 head; market opened steady, closed 5c lower; light $4.15@4.35; mixed $4.35@4.45, heavy $4.40@4.55. Sheep—Receipts 100. Market firm; fair to choice natives $3@4.25, fair to good Western $2.75@4.10, common stock sheep $2.25@3, lambs $3.50@4.90.

COTTON.

Local market firm; 1 1-6c higher; sales, 50 bales; receipts to-day, 3,441 bales; since Sept. 1, 1894, 825,508 bales; shipments to-day, 4,028 bales; since Sept. 1, 1894, 783,180 bales; stocks, 61,127 bales. Quotations: Ordinary, 4⅝c; good ordinary, 5⅛c; low middling, 5⅝c; middling, 5 11-16c; good middling, 6⅛c; middling fair, 6⅝c.

LIVERPOOL—Demand good; prices steady. Uplands, 3¼d. Futures closed firm; March and April, 3 16-64d; April and May, 3 16-64d; May and June, 3 17-64d; June and July, 3 18-64d; July and August, 3 19-64d; August and September, 3 21-64d; September and October, 3 22-64d; October and November, 3 23-64d.

NEW YORK—Spot quiet; middling, 6⅛c. Futures closed firm. Sales, 258,500 bales.

Reported by the Lesser Cotton Co.:

	Closed Monday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closed Tuesday.
March	5.95	6.16	6.10	6.15
April	5.98	6.15	6.07	6.15
May	6.02	6.20	6.11	6.19
June	6.01	6.18	6.10	6.18
July	6.04	6.22	6.13	6.21
August	6.07	6.25	6.15	6.24
September	6.10	6.27	6.19	6.28
October	6.14	6.31	6.22	6.30

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—The Consolidated Coal Co. of St. Louis, office of the Secretary, Laclede Building, 4th and Olive sts.—A dividend of one (1) per cent on the capital stock of this company (being number fourteen) was declared by the Board of Directors this day, payable April 1, 1895, to stockholders of record, at close of business March 23, 1895. Transfer books will be closed March 24 to April 1, 1895, both days inclusive.

GEORGE T. CUTTS, Secretary.

St. Louis, March 18, 1895. 3187

LEGAL.

NOTICE of Final Settlement—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Elizabeth Mackle, deceased, that I, the undersigned, administrator of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of June next.

P. F. GRACE,
Administrator of the Estate of Elizabeth Mackle, Deceased.

St. Louis, March 18, 1895. 3189

IN MATTER of the assignment of the Western Union Building and Loan Association No. 5—Notice is hereby given that A. A. B. Woerheide and Rudolph F. Kilgen, assignees of the Western Union Building and Loan Association, No. 5, have filed and exhibited to the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, a statement of the accounts of their trust to the February term, 1895, of said Court, together with proper vouchers, and that said accounts will be allowed by said Court in Room No. 4 on Tuesday, the 26th day of March, 1895, unless good cause to contrary be shown.

THOMAS B. RODGERS,
3193 Clerk Circuit Court, City of St. Louis.

IN MATTER of the assignment of the Western Union Building and Loan Association, No. 3—Notice is hereby given that Rudolph F. Kilgen, assignee of Western Union Building and Loan Association, No. 3, has filed and exhibited to the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, a statement of the accounts of his trust to the February term, 1895, of said Court, together with proper vouchers, and that said accounts will be allowed by said Court in Room No. 5 on Tuesday, the 26th day of March, 1895, unless good cause to contrary be shown.

THOS. B. RODGERS,
3194 Clerk Circuit Court, City of St. Louis.

IN MATTER of the assignment of Frericks & Dedeck—Notice is hereby given that George H. Wetterau, assignee of Frericks & Dedeck, has filed and exhibited to the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, a statement of the accounts of his trust to the February term, 1895, of said Court, together with proper vouchers, and that said accounts will be allowed by said Court in Room No. 1 on Saturday, the 23d day of March, 1895, unless good cause to contrary be shown.

THOS. B. RODGERS,
3195 Clerk Circuit Court, City of St. Louis.

A WOMAN'S HOPE BOUND IN GRAY AND GOLD.

Her Unselfish Ambition Which Turned to a Heap of Charred Ashes.

The clock striking 7 in sharp, short notes brought the eager and on one side excited conference in the gloaming to an abrupt end.

"Oh!" The exclamation came from the younger of the two women sitting in front of the fire. She rose to her feet suddenly and there was a sound of perturbation in her voice. "Seven o'clock already! How the time has flown! Margaret, you are an angel to have listened to me so patiently. I must go. I shall be very late as it is."

"You will have a hansom, Flora, won't you?"

Flora, busy buttoning up her ulster and pinning on her veil, shook her head.

"I always consider it a special dispensation of Providence that I should have been attacked by what I call my cab nervousness at this particular time." She gave a sigh that was so very little it would have escaped most people. It did not escape the woman opposite. "I often think of the days when I used to grumble at having to go out with grannie shut up in the brougham, and somehow the memory of that brougham always comes back to me, Margaret, when I am packed into an omnibus on a wet day with an extra-sized fat person squeezed in on my side. The irony of fate, I suppose."

"It was a very nice brougham," the other woman said meditatively. She was careful to keep every suggestion of sympathy out of her voice.

"Yes, wasn't it? What I would give to have that dear old carriage now to pack Paul in the winter mornings and let him go to his work in comfort!"

"Well, if you cannot have the old days back, with their old and many comforts, who knows what luxuries may not lie before you in the future? Just think of how well you have commenced."

"It is not easy to realize all at once," Flora Meredith answered, a little unsteadily. "And oh! Margaret, whatever comes, I owe it all to you; yes, all—for I should never have dreamed of trying to do all I have done if you had not been so good to me and helped me and encouraged me as you have done. If you could only know how grateful I am!"

"My dear, you will certainly be very late if you don't make a start," Margaret Lloyd said hurriedly. "I only wish you could stay and spend the evening with me, but I don't fancy Paul would find that an agreeable arrangement."

"It is his busy night; he does not really want me, but"—

"Oh, you need not continue," Miss Lloyd interrupted, laughingly. "Good-bye, dear little Flora. You cannot imagine how honestly delighted I am at your successful start."

Flora stopped to give her friend a kiss.

"And yet, they say that women are full of jealousy!" she said. She sent another smile, whose brightness was not dimmed or spoiled, though her eyes were wet with tears.

"Good-bye, dear Margaret; and if you want to have a pleasant dream think of the hope and the happiness you have put into my life by helping me to be a help to others."

Mr. Meredith was slightly cross, but he returned his wife's greeting warmly, nevertheless.

"Hurry up with the dinner, Flora," he said, as he vanished into his dressing-room. "I had a miserable lunch, and I have at least four hours' hard work before me to-night."

"Poor Paul," Flora said, softly. She did all he asked in her customary way, and by and by she found herself standing in front of the dining-room fire, her eyes fixed, with a curiosity and an eagerness that was almost painful, upon the bulky brown parcel that lay on the sideboard, having been brought home in the hansom with Paul. "If he should be there," she said to herself breathlessly, and then the color flashed into her interesting face and her eyes grew soft and beautiful, as she thought of a certain strip of yellow paper hidden away in her old jewel-case upstairs, which paper bore an inscription that was to Flora the most wonderful, the sweetest inscription in the world. It was only an ordinary check, made payable to order, for the sum of 10 guineas, but it represented a whole world of hope, of success—of future fame and fortune—to the girl to whom it had come.

She began wondering, with a thrill of nervousness mingling with her delight, how she had better tell her wonderful news to Paul. She had kept the secret of her work from him with the greatest difficulty.

It had been one morning nearly a year before that the idea had come to her. The parochial taxes came first. A little deep and heartfelt swearing from Paul had followed next, and then the idea had burst suddenly into being.

"Do not expect anything brilliantly good, strong or original in the story," Miss Lloyd had written. "You will find nothing of the sort; it is, however, the work of an educated girl with a very fair idea of telling a story and an abundance of charming thought, which, if a trifle sentimental, cannot fail to please a large class of readers. you possibly can." I hope you will give the book a chance if

The strip of paper hidden away in the jewel case had been the outcome of all this. Ten pounds was not much to earn for a story that had cost almost as many months to write, but to Flora it represented, as we have seen, more than wealth—it gave her a sense of importance, it brought her a little nearer to Paul, intellectually speaking. She had sometimes, frequently, indeed, winced at a little contempt that had been mingled in with his affection (for whatever disappointment there might have been in the man's mind when he realized that his marriage without consent meant a marriage without money, too, there was no question of Paul Meredith's affection for his wife). And now this would be all changed.

"You look very beaming to-night; what have you been doing with yourself, eh, young woman?" Mr. Meredith asked lightly, as they discussed their modest dinner.

"I had tea with Margaret," Flora said hurriedly. She felt she was prevaricating and she hated herself for such an act.

"Margaret Lloyd! How fond you are of that strong-minded old maid."

"I love Margaret"—Flora paused an instant—"and you know she is not really old, Paul. I don't fancy Margaret is more than 34 or 35."

"She is the sort of woman who [illegible]rn old!" observed Mr. Meredith, as he twisted himself round in his chair and gave a glimpse at the evening paper before starting to work.

"What is it to-night, darling?" Flora asked, her heart quivering; "reviews again?"

"Yes, the same old thing. Give me the first one that comes. I glanced through some of them this morning—all the usual rubbish, only a little more so."

Flora picked up the first one that came; it was bound in gray and gold. There was a similar book locked away up-stairs. The title danced before her eyes in blurred fashion; she did not dare give the book into his hand, her own was trembling too much. She went and set down by the fire; her seat was a little in shadowland. The lamp on the table, with its broad green shade, spread the light in a concentrated circle; it did not reach that slim figure in the pink frock, with the pile of socks and the work-basket in her lap.

"Christobel's Guest!" "Christobel's Guest!" Why, oh! why had she chosen that name? Christobel! She felt sure Paul would call it silly. But how long he was! Would * * * She gave a great start, and her darning needle ran into her hand. Something had come crashing against the fender at her feet. Something square and flat, bound in gray, with gold lettering.

"I beg your pardon, darling. I hope I did not hurt you. I did not mean to be so violent." Paul Meredith came forward and picked up the book.

"The fire is the proper place for rot of this sort," he said, as he turned it over in his hand. "I can't understand how a firm like —— bring themselves to publish this kind of thing. It must pay them, I suppose, though who the deuce they get to read such twaddle beats me. Well!" flinging the book on to the table this time, "well, that was a bad start. Let us hope it is not a case of worse remains behind."

The pipe was replenished and the second book was well under way before Flora spoke.

"Paul," she said when the fierceness of the pain had left her a little, "Paul, are you quite just? I—I mean—don't you think you ought to read these books with more care—more"—

Paul Meredith looked amazed.

"I know my business," he said coldly, when he spoke. He felt too much surprised to be really as angry as he ought to have been.

"Forgive me, dear," she said, very very softly, but with a quiver in her voice he had never heard before; "forgive me, only I have been thinking so much lately about writers and writing, and I feel"—she broke off—"Paul, dear, you are so big and clever, but all the world is not like you. While you find happiness in a scientific work there are some—many, perhaps—who would find pleasure in a book like that. Yes, I am sure there would be many—many."

"There must be more fools in the world, then, than even Carlyle imagined," Mr. Meredith said, speaking with his pipe between his teeth and his eyes on the book before him. Flora rose.

"I feel so sorry for the person who wrote the story," she said, her voice almost a whisper; she was standing with her back towards him. "Now, do we know what hope, perhaps necessity, may not"—

Her husband put down his book.

"You always come back with some crotchet when you go to see Margaret Lloyd. I think I shall put a stop to the friendship. I don't want you to get your head full of the infernal rot these advanced women talk—it will unsettle you. You know how I dislike all this class of thing."

"I do not see that justice is rot!" Flora said coldly.

Mr. Meredith settled the question finally. "I think you h[illegible]tter go to bed, my dear," he said calmly [illegible] temper for some [illegible]ot got the time nor inclination to fight things out with you to-night."

Flora turned for an instant.

"Is it because you do not think me equal to the fight?" she asked, passionately.

Paul looked at her with something more than amazement now. He had never seen her in such a mood before.

"My dear," he said, more gently, "what is the matter with you to-night? What has happened?"

Flora held out an instant longer; then the tears came with a rush, and they were shed on his shoulder with his arm about her.

"Please forgive me, Paul!" she said, brokenly, when her voice would come. "I am tired. I think I will go to bed."

He took her upstairs himself, and was full of tenderness, but after he had left her he went back to his work with a frown on his face.

"I shall put an end to all intercourse with that —— woman," he said. Then, urged by what motive he could hardly have explained, he took up the book he had so openly despised and glanced through it again.

"Poor little Floss," he said to himself, "she has a thought for all. Who knows but perhaps some poor devil has to get a living by this sort of thing? I should like to give it a good notice, if only to please her!" He read through a page steadily. Then he groaned, and finally he closed the book.

He swore with all his usual vigor when the Queen's taxes were called for the second time the next morning, and Flora smiled sadly for one instant as she thought of a check hidden away upstairs and a heap of charred ashes that lay in the kitchen grate, and that was all that remained to her of a book that had been bound in gray and gold—the gold of a woman's hope and unselfish ambition.—London Weekly Sun.

CITY NEWS.

Springtime Has Come

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THOUGHT IT WAS SUICIDE.

Death of Herman Sebel at the City Hospital, Probably From Heart Disease.

Herman Sebel, a German living at 320 Walnut street, died at the City Hospital Tuesday morning under circumstances leading Dr. Marks to suspect poisoning. The place, 320 Walnut street, is a German boarding-house, kept by Fred Boelling, who states that the dead man was a German farm hand and a particular friend. He had stopped with him every winter for ten years. He ridiculed the idea of suicide, saying Sebel was a sufferer from heart failure, which he had often predicted would eventually be the cause of his death. Monday night he retired as well as usual, but at 12:30 a. m. one of the boarders was awakened by groans from Sebel's room. He went in and found Sebel in great agony, almost unconscious. He was taken to the Hospital.

Sebel was a general favorite in the house, and all the boarders scout the idea of suicide, declaring there was no motive. Sebel was a single man, about 48 years old, and had been in this country fifteen years. He worked every season on farms adjacent to St. Louis.

GOOD SPRING OVERCOATS for $12, better ones for $15. Fine Spring Overcoats for $18, finer ones for $20. Elegant Spring Overcoats for $22, $25, $30 and $35.

MILLS & AVERILL,
Broadway and Pine.

Board of Health.

Matthew Fellenz's dairy at 6101 Page avenue has been condemned by the Board of Health as unsanitary.

Examinations of applicants for positions at the City and Female Hospitals will be made Saturday, March 30, between 2 and 7 p. m., in the House of Delegates chamber.

City Chemist Teichmann has reported the wells at 4021 North Twenty-third and 4000 and 4016 North Twenty-fifth streets and at the southwest corner of Bremen avenue and Twenty-fifth street impure.

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Woman's Humane Society.

At the weekly meeting of the Humane Society held at the West End Hotel the report of Agent C. W. Price was as follows: Overloading, 1; driven when galled or lame, 17; cruelty to children, 1; cases reported at office, 5; remedied without prosecution, 5; warned, 17; prosecuted, 1; convicted, 1; animals taken from work, 9. Nelson Reese was arrested for working a badly galled mule. He was fined $20 and costs in Judge Paxon's court.

Latest Train to Kansas City.

The Burlington Route runs a solid through vestibuled train to Kansas City, St. Joseph, Leavenworth, Atchison, Lincoln and Denver every evening at 8:45. This is the latest train leaving for above points.

Marion Sims Commencement.

The commencement exercises of the Marion-Sims Medical Colleges were held at Germania Theater Monday night. Prizes were awarded as follows: First medal for general application and efficiency, to Aurelius W. Bartlett; second medal for same, to John J. Boheim; certificates of distinction to John H. Fulgham, John F. Cherrington, Charles Zitzlaff, Joseph B. Kenney, Ezra L. Evans, George H. Lane, A. Foster Moore, John R. Farthing, Herman Schmidt and Charles J. Boswell.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup For Children Teething is the family benefactor.

Bond Measure Vetoed.

Mayor Walbridge has vetoed the Kotany bill authorizing the issue of $925,000 of twenty-year 4 per cent bonds to meet along with the sinking fund, $1,157,000 of bonds, falling due May 1. Mr. Kotany advised the veto, as he believes 3.65 per cents will command a small premium. Comptroller Sturgeon says no further bond issue will be needed until June 1, 1898.

Found Wounded and Unconscious.

A well-dressed young man of about 35 was found in the gutter at Sixteenth and Market streets at 3:30 a. m. Tuesday unconscious from an ugly scalp wound. He was sent to the City Hospital. He gave his name as Ben Ritter of 2321 Market street.

Tuxedo's New Church.

Rev. O. A. Bartholomew has called the members of the Tuxedo Christian Chapel to meet Thursday night and adopt plans for a church; also to raise the necessary funds.

Beautiful hair is always pleasing and Parker's Hair Balsam excels in producing it.

Greve's Ointment makes a healthy skin, 50c.

House Committees Meet.

The House of Delegates Committees on Public Improvements and on Railroads met at 3 p. m. to consider the asphalt paving and street car fender questions.

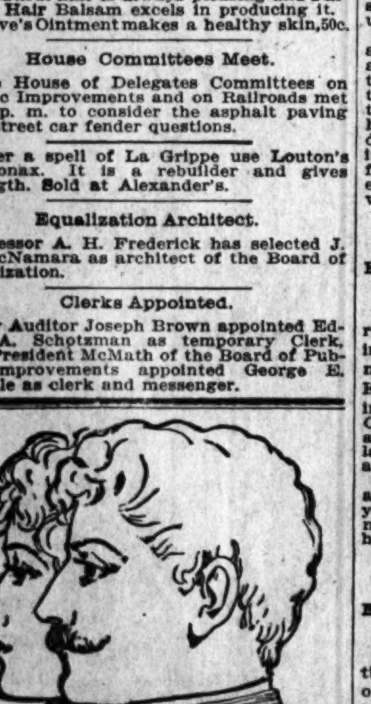
After a spell of La Grippe use Louton's Nervonax. It is a rebuilder and gives strength. Sold at Alexander's.

Equalization Architect.

Assessor A. H. Frederick has selected J. H. McNamara as architect of the Board of Equilization.

Clerks Appointed.

City Auditor Joseph Brown appointed Edwin A. Schotzman as temporary Clerk, and President McMath of the Board of Public Improvements appointed George E. Temple as clerk and messenger.



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CURRY IS NOW A HORSE OWNER.

He Has Bought the Entire String of Dr. Wise.

THE HORSES TO COME EAST.

The New Proprietor Is Opposed to Betting, and Thinks It Will Eventually Kill Horse Racing.

LOS ANGELES, March 19.—Dr. K. D. Wise, of this city, has sold to John Curry, driver of the famous stallion Joe Patchen, his entire string of horses for about $30,000, which is considered a remarkably low price. Curry will ship the best of the lot East at once. Among those purchased are Adelaide McGregor, 2:15½ and Adelaide Simmons, 2:14 ½. Both are great race mares. The string also includes Emin Bey, by Guy Wilkes, 2:21½; Glendine, 2:20 and a lot of 3 and 2-year-olds. Mr. Curry said:

"I think I will be back in California next winter. It is the best State to winter in that I know of. We will start to race on the grand circuit, which opens in Saginaw, Mich. some time in July. Right here I want to say a word about pool selling," and here Mr. Cary delivered himself of some startling opinions, coming from a professional, practical horseman. "I wish that all betting and gambling on race tracks could be abolished. I think if it is kept up horse racing will be demoralized. If it is abolished we will more than make up for the loss of revenue by the interest that a better class of people will take in racing."

THE RICE-SIMMONS MATCH.

Preparations Being Made for the Great Event at the Fair Grounds.

Fred Foster will extend a cordial invitation to Ed Corrigan, the master of Hawthorne, to officiate as one of the judges for the match between Dr. Rice and Simmons. The owner of Dr. Rice will also send out invitations to all the members of the Western Turf Congress to come here and witness the race. "Snapper" Ed Garrison, who has been asked to start the race, wires Foster for terms. The celebrated jockey is now at New Orleans. Ben Payne will assist him if he comes to St. Louis. Foster has also written to Fred Taral for his terms to ride Dr. Rice.

In addition to the match, three and possibly four other races will go to make the day's card. The first will be for all ages at three-quarters of a mile, 12 pounds below the scale, with sex allowances; the second an owners' handicap for all ages, at one mile; and the third for all ages at five-eighths of a mile, 12 pounds below the scale, with sex allowances. A steeplechase over the short course has also been proposed, and may be included in the card. The purses will be $400, of which $75 goes to the second and $25 to the third. The match is to be run at the Fair Grounds April 20.

GRAND MATCH RACES.

Hal Dillard and Robert J. May Speed Against Each Other.

CLEVELAND, O., March 19.—The Buffalo Driving Park has written to make a match if possible between the pacing horses Hal Dillard, 2:04¾, owned by Thomas C. Parsons of Cleveland, and Robert J., 2:01½, owned by C. J. Hamlin of Buffalo. The purse offered is in the thousands. In conversation with Col. Parsons he said:

"I shall probably make this match if an arrangement is not entered into to race Hal Dillard and John R. Gentry at ten consecutive meetings. The owner of John R. Gentry recently issued a challenge to race any horse for six meetings in succession for $2,500 each race. I will go him four meetings better and will be willing to begin at Saginaw and continue as far through the grand circuit as possible, and after that on other tracks until ten races in as many consecutive meetings have been decided."

Col. Parsons is confident that Hal Dillard will pace in 2m. this summer. He is willing to make matches against Robert J. and Joe Patchen for suitable purses.

Results at the Tracks.

EAST ST. LOUIS—First race—George W. Bailey, first; St. Beage, second; Jack Bradley, third.

Second race—May Blossom, first; Johnnie Weber, second; Pacolet, third.

Third race—Oheisa, first; Arkansas Traveler, second; Prince Peyton, third.

Fourth race—El Reno, first; Florella, second; Smuggler, third.

Fifth race—Jim Head, first; Cyantha, second; Ed Gartland, third.

ST. ASAPH—The winners: Factotum, Golden Gate, Pekin, Tarantum, Tuscan, Houri.

NEW ORLEANS—The winners: Oxford, Loretto, Edmund Conolly, Nero, Verdi.

SAN FRANCISCO—The winners: Seraphim, Urula, Lizzie Hampton, Oakland, Ferrier, Tigress.

FLORIDA IS THE PLACE.

Richard K. Fox Thinks the Big Fight Will Be Pulled Off There.

"Everybody down in Florida is anxious to secure the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight," says Richard K. Fox, who has just returned from Florida, "and there is plenty of money back of it to get it. New Orleans will try hard to get it, but I would rather see it go to Jacksonville. The building in the old Fair Grounds, where Corbett fought before, is still standing, and could be utilized again. I think Corbett will win, although Fitzsimmons might have a surprise in store for us. One can't always tell.

"Corbett is very popular in Jacksonville, and I don't think there would be any trouble about the fight coming off there. I know that Corbett would rather fight there, although I understand Fitzsimmons wants the match to come off at New Orleans. I have ordered a new belt made—an exact duplicate of the championship belt stolen in Davenport. It will cost $2,500. Corbett feels badly about the lost belt, and as he expects to retire after the next fight he wants a trophy of some kind."

WAS A DRAW.

Kilrain and O'Donnell Fight Eight Rounds With No Decision.

Kilrain and O'Donnell fought an eight round draw before the Suffolk Athletic Club in Boston last night, much to the disappointment of the 2,000 spectators who called for Kilrain to get the decision. Kilrain weighed in at 220 pounds and O'Donnell weighed 173. O'Donnell forced the fight in early rounds and had Kilrain on the floor twice, but the latter rallied in the last round and he fought a bruising fight.

John L. Sullivan made himself conspicuous after the fight by leaping into the ring and yelling that he wished to challenge the winner, but his friends succeeded in leading him away.

A. A. U. CHAMPIONSHIP.

Entries Made by the Pastime Club of St. Louis and Others.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 19.—The national boxing and wrestling championships of the American Athletic Union are to be held here this, to-morrow and Friday evenings. The preliminaries will be held to-night and to-morrow evening, and the finals Friday night, which arrangement gives one day for rest. Entries have been made by the Pastime Athletic Club of St. Louis, Crescent Athletic Club of New Orleans, Chicago Athletic Association, Detroit Athletic Club, Cleveland Athletic Club, Columbia Athletic Club of Washington and Clipper and Pastime Athletic clubs of New York.

The classes have been arranged as follows: Boxing, 105, 115, [illegible] 135, 158 pounds; wrest[illegible] pounds.

O'LEARY AND SCHMEHL.

Arrangements Perfected for Their Pedestrian Contest in St. Louis.

Dan O'Leary, the famous old-time pedestrian, and Harry Schmehl of Chicago have arranged for their contest to take place here the last week in April. The match will be at square heel and toe walking for 144 hours. The side stakes are $1,000 and each man has posted $500 with the temporary stakeholder, P. H. Tansey of Chicago. The contest will take place at either the Armory or Natatorium Halls.

NEW SPEED TRACK.

California Cyclists Have Found a Record-Breaking Course.

The record-breaking cyclists have found in the new speed track at the Alameda California course, which gives promise of being the fastest in the world. The surface is formed by the slickens, pumped from the bottom of Oakland creek, and requires very little preparation to make it available for cycling. It is of a springy nature, elastic and full of life. The horsemen controlling the speedway have placed it at the disposal of the cyclists, and have staked off a width of fifteen feet to be prepared especially for these speed trials.

AILSA WINS AGAIN.

Defeated the Valkyre and Corsair in Cruising Trim.

NICE, March 19.—Mr. A. C. Bartley Walker's cutter Ailsa won the race in cruising trim to-day from Monaco to this place, defeating Valkyrie and Corsair. The Britannia did not compete.

Sporting Notes.

The Browns defeated the New Orleans team by a score of 12 to 4.

The Brooklyn-Pittsburg game resulted in a score of 6 to 5 in favor of Brooklyn.

Creedon and Tracey left for Chicago last night for their bouts with Choynski and Ryan.

Young Griffo has covered McAuliffe's forfeit and the pair will meet Friday to sign articles.

"Parson" Davies has posted a forfeit of $500 for Tommy Ryan to meet Dick Burge.

Dan Honig has sold the chestnut filly by King Himyar, dam Maud P., to his jockey, Garner, for $350.

Johnnie Mooney ran into a fence and injured his leg while exercising a 2-year-old at East St. Louis Saturday. It did not prevent him from riding Monday, however.

Carter Nagle of St. Louis purchased the 6-year-old roan mare Rosemary, 2:20¾, by Bermuda, dam by Administrator, for $500 at Lexington Monday.

Delmar, who finished unplaced in the last race at East St. Louis Monday, belongs to Jim Robinson, the trainer, who came here to take Dan Creedon and Tom Tracey to Chicago.

ONE EXPERIENCE ENOUGH.

That Is the Opinion of Would-Be Alderman Poole.

C. W. Poole, the Washington avenue druggist, who was defeated by William H. Judy for the Republican nomination for the House of Delegates in the Second Ward, thinks he was unfairly treated by Central Committeeman Augustus Filley and his followers. According to Poole and his friends Committeeman Filley persuaded the druggist to enter the field and accompanied him to the Recorder of Voters' office, when he filed his papers. At that time Poole was under the impression that Filley was his friend, and, with his assistance, the druggist expected to have a walkover for the Republican nomination.

Naturally Poole expected that his campaign would cost him something, but he was taken by surprise when J. S. Bristol, one of Filley's lieutenants, came to him with the statement that the legitimate expenses of the organization would cost him $400. This figure was entirely too much for Poole, and he did not hesitate to say so. W. H. Judy then commenced to loom up as the favored candidate for the Republican nomination. Before they formally indorsed Judy, however, Filley and his friends made one more effort to do business with Poole.

Judy was indorsed on the Sunday before the primaries and a few nights previous. Bristol and Dr. Hermann, another one of Filley's followers, called on Poole at his place of business. Filley was to have attended this conference, but for some reason failed to do so, leaving Bristol and Hermann to settle the matter with Poole. At this meeting Dr. Hermann indicated to Poole, so the druggist says, that he had been offered $200 to remain out of the fight.

"He put up two fingers," said Mr. Poole, "and I understood it meant $200, which, I presumed, was the price of the support to be given my candidacy by Filley and his friends at the primaries. It was too much, however, and I guess the result of my refusal to give up was the indorsement given Judy by Filley and his friends at the meeting held on the Sunday before the primaries. Besides throwing me down," continued Mr. Poole, "Committeeman Filley attempted to 'do me' at the primaries.

"From what I can learn he gave instructions to certain of his cronies in the polling booth at Twelfth and Olive streets not to sign the returns in case I had more votes than Judy. That kind of treatment has disgusted me with politics and I guess I have all I want for some time."

Committeeman Filley is a nephew of Chauncey Ives Filley, the Republican boss of the city and State.

Bristol is the Republican revisor appointed for the Second Ward. Poole's friends will meet Monday night at Thie's Hall on Franklin avenue to take action. Lively times are expected.

WHOLESALE SELL-OUT.

Exposure of a Trade on Congressmen in Precinct 158 Last November.

A whole lot of crookedness has been brought to light in Precinct 158 of the Twenty-fifth Ward by the recount of the ballots in the Guinzburg-Troll contested election case. The votes cast in that precinct were counted a day or two ago and it has leaked out that evidence of a wholesale sell out on the part of the judges and clerks was effected in the interest of Judge Frank M. Sterrett, Republican candidate for Congress in the Twelfth congressional district. Congressman Seth W. Cobb was the victim of the plot, but it was not of sufficient magnitude to encompass his defeat.

Cobb was robbed of 180 votes by the deal and in order to accomplish it the entire Republican ticket was traded for him, and the face of the returns bear conclusive evidence of the fact. In order to accomplish their purpose the friends of the defeated Republican candidate consented to a complete transfer of the Democratic votes cast to the Republican column and the Republican votes to the Democratic column.

When the returns were canvassed after the election it was shown that Sterrett ran away ahead of his ticket in Precinct 158 and Cobb fell 180 behind. There was considerable speculation over the matter and the only logical conclusion that could be drawn in the absence of the true facts was that Cobb had been knifed by his party in that precinct. One effect of the revelation will be to show at least one reason why Sterrett did not contest the election of Cobb to Congress.

OVERTIME WORK WITHOUT PAY.

Another Method of Defrauding Italian Laborers.

HOW M'CLURE REDUCED PAY.

Streets Left Unswept Reported as Cleaned and Collection Made Without Complaint by Inspectors.

The indignation of the day laborers employed by Street Cleaning Contractor Henry Mueller, over the manner in which they have been made the victims of the padrone system, has extended to the Italians employed regularly on the streets. First voiced by the few Americans hired by Mueller, the cry has spread until it appears to include everyone of the victims.

There is quite a settlement of Italian street laborers on Valentine street, just below Fourth; another on Third, south of Valentine, and another at Second and Plum.

A Post-Dispatch reporter visited these neighborhoods and found the Italians there much wrought up. The story of one was the story of all, and the state of mind of each was indicated by what was said by Nick Costello, who has been a street laborer for three years, and Nicholas Rosa, whose period of service covers about the same time.

Costello's story, devoid of its dialectical expression, was this: "At first I got $1.50 a day. Then McClure, the superintendent said: 'Excuse me, but I can't pay any more than $1.25, and you must take that.' Well, I worked at that until fourteen months ago, and then he said he'd give only $1. What could I do? I must live. I cannot go out on the street and rob, get sent to the penitentiary and let my wife and children starve. But it is a shame. Every man has to work for $1.

"And we don't work only eight hours. Mostly we work ten, twelve hours. Last Thursday night we worked thirteen hours, and didn't get any more than a dollar. When we work half a day we get half pay. I work at night and in the day, too. It's the same in the day as in the night. We ought to get some of the money that the city allowed us."

Nick Rosa corroborated Costello as to the hours they were compelled to work, a matter that each expressed a willingness to make affidavit to, and the pitiful sum they received for each day's work. While Rosa was speaking, his wife interpolated a few remarks bearing upon the difficulty experienced by even a small family in eking out a miserable existence upon $1 a day, without any assurance of the regularity of even that amount. The Italians who crowded around expressed approval of her remarks and also the hope that whoever was responsible should be speedily brought to account.

The emphatic statements of Costello and Rosa that the day's work required of the men exceeds eight hours alone furnish material for the promised investigation of the Padrone system. There is a city ordinance which declares that eight hours shall constitute a day's labor on city work, and, while it is claimed that the collection of $1.50 a day for each $1 laborer has ceased, it is held that the violation of this ordinance is sufficient ground for the abrogation of the contract for street cleaning now held by Wade Bros. This contract has been sublet to Henry Mueller, but the city can only deal with Wade Bros., with whom its contract was drawn.

There is another matter that should come within the purview of the investigators. It is notorious that street sweeping by machines is done in all kinds of weather, the results attained in each instance being dependent upon the state thereof. James Forman, who lives at 2316 Chestnut street, has something to say on this and one or two others which, he says, he can substantiate and make affidavit to. Forman until March 1, was driver on one of the machines used by Mueller, whose contract with the city expired on that date. To a Post-Dispatch reporter he said: "Ever since I have been employed on this work the practice has been to order out machines, no matter whether the condition of the streets was favorable or not. Frequently they have been ordered out when the revolving brooms would scarcely make a mark upon the mud. At other times they have been ordered out when there was a pouring rain. The result, so far as improving the condition of the streets was concerned, was not apparent. Again, after being ordered out over a route, we would be instructed to omit certain streets. Then sometimes after starting out with orders to sweep every street on the route, McClure would come along about 11 o'clock and tell us to let a lot of the streets go unswept. These occurrences averaged at least once a week, usually more frequently.

"At times we were instructed to sweep only the gutters, and let the middle of the roadway go. On several occasions I have seen gangs of day men at work the day following finishing up the work that should have been done by the machines, the city paying $1.65 a man for this under contract while the contractor paid $1 per man. Every time a 'route' is machine swept it costs the city from $1.90 to $3.00 so you can see what it means.

UNSWEPT STREETS REPORTED CLEAN

"As for the streets left unswept on the occasions mentioned, I can make affidavit that they were reported as cleaned, the contractor losing nothing by the omission. I know this, because there was no complaint ever made by the superintendents or inspectors that these streets had been neglected."

The last pay-day for street laborers under Mueller was Feb. 24. A man who was at work that day cleaning with a gang on Washington avenue, from Fourth to Main, makes this statement: "While we were at work McClure and the payman drove up in a buggy. There was a city inspector watching us, and when the men had been paid off, I saw McClure hand a coin to this inspector, whose name I forget, and who, I think, has since been discharged from the city employ. I did not see what the coin was, but after McClure and the payman drove off, the inspector 'rushed the growler' and treated all the men. Before McClure came up the inspector was dead broke. I know this, because he was trying to borrow money, and tackled me for some, but I didn't have any. It is, of course, possible that the inspector merely borrowed from McClure."

Political Pointers.

Charles O. Borsch, the Democratic candidate against Julius Lehman, Republican, in the Eighteenth Ward beat the latter for the House of Delegates, three or four years ago, after a hot fight.

Alderman Henry Regenhardt of the Twelfth Ward, whose term of office will expire this spring would not object to receiving something good from the Mayor.

The Seventeenth Ward Republican League Club meets Tuesday night at Ruppi Hall, Twenty-first and Franklin avenue.

New Incorporation.

The Scheer-Luecking Dry Goods and Carpet Co. was incorporated Monday morning. The capital is $25,000, full paid, and the stock is held as follows: Aug. C. Luecking, 125 shares; Wm. H. Scheer, 95 shares; Aug. Kappel, 30 shares.

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LEGAL.

SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue and authority of an execution, issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, returnable to the February term, 1895, of said court, and to me directed, in favor of P. Wm. Provenchere, assignee of Edward B. Hull, plaintiff, and against Christian Roehrig, defendant; I have levied upon and seized all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the defendant above named, Christian Roehrig, of in and to the following described real estate, situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and described as follows, to-wit:

A lot of ground in city block 405, having a front of 30 feet 1¾ inches on west line of Eleventh street by a depth of 114 feet, being lot one of block 130 of Soulard's Addition, and I will, on

FRIDAY, THE 22D DAY OF MARCH, 1895, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, all the right, title, interest, claim, estate and property of the above named defendant, Christian Roehrig, of, in and to the above described property, to satisfy said execution and costs.

HENRY TROLL,
Sheriff of the City of St. Louis.
St. Louis, Mo., February 26th, 1895. 2992

SPECIAL Commissioner's Sale—Pursuant to a decree entered on the thirteenth day of February, 1895, in cause numbered 96,669, in room 1 of the Circuit Court, in and for the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, in which cause Mary Lynch, William Lynch and Thomas Lynch are plaintiffs and Daniel Lynch, Alice Lynch and John Lynch, all minors, are defendants, public notice is hereby given that the undersigned, special commissioner, duly appointed by said court in said cause, and duly qualified, will on

SATURDAY, THE 30TH DAY OF MARCH, 1895, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, and during the session of said Circuit Court, at the east front door of the Court-house, in said city of St. Louis, sell the real estate in said decree described, namely: The following described lots in city block thirty seven hundred and two (3,702) in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to-wit: Lots numbered one (1) and two (2) of block number three (3) of the third subdivision of the Wash estate (a plat of which is on record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for said city of St. Louis, in plat book 8, at page 144), said lots having an aggregate front of one hundred and thirteen (113) feet on the east line of Taylor avenue by a depth of one hundred and fifty (150) feet to an alley twenty feet wide.

The property will be offered in whole or in separate parcels, as bidders may desire.

Terms of sale: One-third cash and the balance of the purchase money in one and two years with six per cent per annum interest thereon, the deferred payments to be secured by deed of trust upon the property sold, the purchaser to have the privilege of paying all cash if he so elects before the report of sale is approved by the court.

AUGUST AHRENS, Special Commissioner.
St. Louis, March 4th, 1895. 3115

TRUSTEE'S Sale Under Order of Court—Pursuant to an order made by the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, in the case of Harney V. McClosky et al. (case No. 90,529), on the 11th day of March, 1895, the undersigned as trustee under the last will of Henry G. Soulard, deceased, will on

WEDNESDAY, THE 3D DAY OF APRIL, 1895, at the east front door of the Court-house in the City of St. Louis, Mo., between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate situated in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, to-wit: Lot two (2) of Henry G. Soulard's subdivision of city block four hundred and nine (409), as subdivided by Julius Pitzman, City Surveyor, a plat of which subdivision was filed in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of the City of St. Louis, Mo., and is recorded in book known as "Surveyor's Record No. 7, St. Louis County," at page 392, reference to which is hereby made, containing a front of forty-two (42) feet on the Southern line of Soulard street and extending southwardly with the same width ninety-seven (97) feet six (6) inches, and being bounded on the west by lot one (1) or a line thirty-two (32) feet east of Thirteenth street, and on the east by lot three (3), the said sale to be subject to the approval of the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis.

JOHN M. HARNEY,
Trustee under the last will of Henry G. Soulard, Deceased.
St. Louis, Mo., March 12, 1895. 3130

LEGAL.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue and authority of a general and special execution issued from the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the city of St. Louis, returnable to the April Term, 1895, of said court, and to me directed, wherein Adelaide W. Barnett, executrix of William H. Barnett, deceased, is plaintiff, and T. Jefferson Roe, Elza R. Roe and E. D. Pyle are defendants, I have levied upon and seized the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, and charged with the mechanic's lien, on which this action is founded, and described in said execution as follows, to-wit:

A certain lot in city block 4556 of said city, beginning at a point on the north line of Washington avenue, 530 feet west of the west line of Taylor avenue, thence northwardly along a line at right angles to north line of Washington avenue 167 feet 4 inches, thence westwardly along a line parallel to Washington avenue 105 feet, thence southwardly along a line at right angles to Washington avenue 167 feet 4 inches, thence eastwardly along north line of Washington avenue 105 feet to place of beginning, together with the two two-story brick buildings erected thereon.

And I will, on

SATURDAY, THE 23D DAY OF MARCH, 1895, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house in the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder the above-described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and costs.

HENRY TROLL,
Sheriff City of St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 28, 1895. 2994

ESTATE of Edward Reed, Deceased—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration with the will annexed on the estate of Edward Reed, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, on the 8th day of August, 1894.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated, this 25th day of February, 1895.

PEMBROOK R. FLITCRAFT,
Administrator with the will annexed of Edward Reed.
MILLS & GRANT, Attorneys. 2998

ESTATE of William Schroeder, Deceased—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of William Schroeder, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 26th day of February, 1895.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.

Dated this 26th day of February, 1895.

ARTHUR H. SCHROEDER,
J. D. STEGEMANN,
3119 Executors of William Schroeder, Deceased.

ESTATE of Anton Hockenkamp, Deceased—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Anton Hockenkamp, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 26th day of February, 1895.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.

Dated this 28th day of February, 1895.

CHARLES RECKAMP,
3120 Executor of Anton Hockenkamp, Deceased.

ESTATE of Philip Luckner, Deceased—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Philip Luckner, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis, on the 23d day of February, 1895.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated, this 23d day of February, 1895.

CLOTILDE LUCKNER,
[illegible] Executrix of Philip Luckner, Deceased.

HUMPHREY'S, Broadway and Pine.
Weather To-Day: Fair; warmer.

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1895.

March 19, 235: Emperor Alexander Severus murdered.
March 19, 1721: Pope Clement XI. died.
March 19, 1893: Tremont Temple, Boston, destroyed by fire.

TO-DAY the experiments with flying machines are made in Potsdam by order of the Emperor of Germany.

These contrivances may be useful in war and our government has army officers watching the maneuvers. How to produce a machine combining speed and perfect control of direction is the problem to be solved.

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Our Great Sale of
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STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

ST. LOUIS, January 21, 1895. Hy. Stuckstede Bell Foundry Co. Meeting of stockholders to Decrease Capital Stock.—Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Hy. Stuckstede Bell Foundry Co. will be held at the office of said company, No. 1312 South Second street, in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, on Wednesday, the 27th day of March A. D. 1895, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m. of that day, for the purpose of voting on a proposition to decrease the capital stock of said company from thirty-five thousand ($35,000) dollars to twenty-five thousand ($25,000) dollars.

Polls will be open from 9 o'clock a. m. to 12 o'clock m.

HY. STUCKSTEDE,
G. H. BLOEMKER,
JOHN G. BLOEMKER,
2637 All the Directors of Said Company.

NOTICE is hereby given to all creditors of the Elaine Building and Loan Association that I will, on Monday, the 1st day of April, 1895, at my office, No. 824 Chestnut street, St. Louis, Missouri, publicly proceed to allow and adjust demands against the estate and effects assigned to me by said Elaine Building and Loan Association for the benefit of creditors, and will continue said hearing during the two following days. NORFLEET HILL,
Assignee of Elaine Building and Loan Association.
St. Louis, Feb. 21, 1895. 2949

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the St. Louis Railroad Company for the election of two directors of the company to serve for three years, and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before it, will be held at the office of the company, 3700 North Broadway, St. Louis, Mo., on Monday, the 1st day of April, 1895, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon. D. G. HAMILTON, President.
R. B. JENNINGS, Secretary.
St. Louis, March 15, 1895. 3167

A MEETING of the stockholders of the New Haven Pipe Works is hereby called to meet at the office of the company, No. 511 Union Trust Building, St. Louis, on Monday, April 22, 1895, at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of voting on a proposition then to be made to increase the capital stock of said company from $10,000 to $18,000.

ALBERT SPEERS,
J. L. D. McCARTHY,
2913 JAMES SMITH,
St. Louis, Feb. 18, 1895. Directors.

OFFICE of Progressive Building and Loan Association, room 51, 304 N. 8th street, St. Louis, Mo. St. Louis, March 5, 1895. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Progressive Building and Loan Association, for the election of directors and the transaction of other business, will be held at room 51, 304 N. 8th street, St. Louis, Mo., at 9 a. m., on Thursday, March 21, 1895.

GEORGE H. MORGAN, President.
SELDEN P. SPENCER, Secretary. 3122

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Platt & Thornburgh Paint and Glass Co. for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before it will be held at the office of the company, 620 Franklin avenue, city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, on Monday, April 1, 1895, from 9 o'clock to 12.

(Signed) W. H. THORNBURGH, Pres.
3174 P. C. PLATT, Sec.

LEGAL.

NOTICE is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Philip Curtis, deceased, that I, the undersigned, executor of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, to be holden at the Court-house in said city on the first Monday of June next.

RICHARD B. HAUGHTON,
Executor of Philip Curtis, Deceased.
St. Louis, March 18, 1895. 3191

STATE of Missouri, City of St. Louis, ss.—In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis. February Term, 1895. Monday, March 11, 1895. August Heman et al. vs. 187, April, T. M., 1895, Catherine Benedict. It appearing to the court from the affidavit this day filed in this cause that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Missouri, on motion of the plaintiffs by attorney it is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a judgment of this court against the said defendant in the sum of $40.73 and interest at the rate of 15 per cent per annum from date of this suit and for costs, said sum of $40.73 being the amount of the special tax bill dated September 6, 1894, issued in favor of plaintiffs and which is filed with the petition herein, and adjudging the amount of said judgment and costs to be a lien upon the following described real estate in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, to-wit: A certain lot in city block 1082, having a front of 61.23 feet on the west side of Webster avenue by a depth westwardly of 77 feet to an alley, and being bounded on the north by Tobin, east by Webster avenue, south by alley; and unless she appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the City of St. Louis on the first Monday of June next and, on or before the third day thereof, answer the plaintiffs' petition the same will be taken against her as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court, City of St. Louis, this 12th day of March, 1895.

(Seal.) THOS. B. RODGERS, Clerk.
T. J. ROWE, Attorney for plaintiffs. 3189

ESTATE of Charles Court, Deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Charles Court, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis on the 14th day of March, 1895.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 14th day of March, 1895.

HERMAN WETTER,
3190 Executor of Charles Court, Deceased.

ESTATE of James Tobin, Deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of James Tobin, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the city of St. Louis on the 16th day of March, 1895.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication they will be forever barred.

Dated this 16th day of March, 1895.

SARAH TOBIN,
[illegible] Executrix of James Tobin, Deceased.